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THE PARK.

More than twenty-five years ago the land on Seventh street was purchased by the Town Council for a public park. For some years itlay open as a common. Then it was improperly leased to an athletic association, and fenced in, and no one derived any benefit from it but the lovers of base ball, and they constitute a small portion of the tax payers of Bloomsburg. A few years ago the fence was removed, and recently a number of young trees were planted around the Park by the Civic Club. A good sod had formed, and the Park was in a fair way to grow into what it was intended for, a place for the use and benefit of the whole people.

It seems to be the almost unanimous opinion that the leasing of it to the Wallace circus was a mistake. In fact the feeling was so strong that if it had not been too late an injunction would have been asked for. The ladies of the Civic Club took the matter up, and entered their protest, but the lease had been made, and an injunction could not restrain the Town Council from doing what had already been done. Two rings were plowed up, and the sod cut up by the wheels of the heavy wagons and the hoofs of the horses. It will take some time to get the Park back in as good condition as it was before. It is high time that something be done to make the Park an attractive spot. Trees should be planted, walks laid out, eventually a band stand erected, and the whole plot beautified. All this can be done by a little outlay each year. No doubt the Civic Club would assist, and private-subscriptions made toward this object. Let the work be begun now and it will not be many years before this can all be accomplished. By all means it should never again be permitted to be used by a circus.

The council are not much to blame in this matter, all things considered. The park has been a neglected spot for a quarter of a century. It has not been made a park at all, but merely a ball ground. The council, believing that the circus would not come here unless this ground could be procurred, and also believing that the town would be benefitted by the crowd that the show would bring and also believing that no great damage would be done to the park in its present condition, agreed to lease the ground. If the people do not want it so used they should petition the Council to improve the grounds. On Arbor Days let trees be planted by individuals, and as soon as such an interest is manifested by the public we have no doubt that neither the present nor any future Council will permit any use of the park that will in any way injure it.

THE SCIENTIFIC FOOD CO.

The allotment of stock of the Scientific Food Co for Bloomsburg was fixed at $2,000. This was all taken at once, and by special request the allotment was raised to $3,000. No more will be sold here. The main office is at Scranton, and the works are in Bloomsburg. The store house at Irondale has been leased for six months with an option to buy at the end of that time. The building is being put in shape for occupancy, and the machinery and supplies were ordered in New York last week. If satisfactory arrangements for shipping can be made, it is likely that the works will remain permanently at Irondale, otherwise another location will be selected. It is reported that the Land Improvement Co. has offered a site along the D. L. & W. road. This concern has flattering prospects, and it is expected to be a paying investment. The chief product of this factory will be an article called "cofo," which is a substitute for coffee. People who cannot drink coffee, and there are many of them, find coto very agreeable and beneficial. Large quantities of it are used in hospitals. The company is capitalized at $500,000, but, as in Bloomsburg, only small blocks are sold in any one place, so that as large a number of people as possible may become interested in the product of the factory. The machinery is expected here this week.

At noon on Thursday of last week Mr. Stanley Robert and Miss Anna McCormick, both of this town, were united in matrimony at the home of the bride's mother, on East Fifth Street, by Rev. M. M. Allbeck of Berwick. The guests were confined to intimate friends of the bride and groom.

Equal Privileges.

At this bank the small depositor and the small borrower are accorded equal privileges with the larger ones.

—THE—

Bloomsburg National Bank

A. Z. SCHOCH, PRESIDENT. WM. H. HIDLAY, CASHIER.

THE SITE SELECTED.

For Power House of Electric Railway.

The electric railway is gradually assuming a reality phase. The latest move in the line of progress was the selection of a site for the erection of the power house. The location is only a short distance above town, on the vacant plot of ground, which, until a few years ago was occupied by the Neal furnace. The contract for the various materials necessary for building and also the contract for the building have been let. Charles Reimard of town was awarded the latter. The plans, which are now in the possession of Mr. Reimard, call for two buildings 90 x 90 feet. They will join and will be sheltered with one roof, The brick, 200,000 of which will be required, will be furnished by William Furguson. The contract for the lime was awarded to C. M. Creveling. Work on the buildings has already been commenced and will be hurried along as rapidly as possible.

Y. M. C. A. Notes.

The meeting next Sunday afternoon at 2:30 will be addressed by Rev. W. T. L. Keifer, of Milton, Pa. There will also be special singing. All men are cordially invited to attend.

The Y. M. C. A. ice cold water drinking fountain is in operation and is free to everybody.

The handsome window cards displayed in several store windows in town announce the Sixth Annual Bible Conference of the Young Men's Christian Associations of Pennsylvania, conducted by the Executive Committee of the State Young Men's Christian Association. The General Secretary of our local Association will be glad to furnish detailed information to any interested in this great gathering. This Conference furnishes an exceptional opportunity to hear some of the greatest Bible teachers in the world. Those who know pronounce Eagles Mere one of the most delightful resorts in the whole country.

Death of Rev. Gideon Day.

A long and useful life in the service of God came to a close on Thursday morning last when the Rev. Gideon Day, a venerable member of the Central Pennsylvania Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church, died at his home in Riverside. The death summons came on the eighty-fifth anniversary of his birth. Since 1839, when he entered the Baltimore, he has been actively engaged in the ministry of the gospel. He joined the Central Pennsylvania conference in 1845, and up to a short time before death continued to preach religion which is the most effectual mode of bearing the numerous ills of life.

The funeral, which was largely attended, was held Saturday morning at 10:20 o'clock. Services were conducted by Presiding Elder W. W. Evans.

Order of Court.

In the matter of the Krickbaum ouster case, upon the opinion of the Supreme Court being filed in the office of the Prothonotary, reinstating him to the office of County Commissioner, the Court made the following order Thursday afternoon:

And now, May 16th, 1901, the appointment of T. J. Vanderslice, Esq., is revoked. BY THE COURT.

Married.

EDWARDS—FEDDER.—At the M. E. parsonage, Espy, Pa., May 11th, 1901, by Rev. W. H. Hartman, Chas. Edwards to Lillian Fedder, both of Lime Ridge.

MEMORIAL DAY

Will be Observed in Bloomsburg in the Following Manner.

Comrades will meet in their Hall at 7 a. m. and start for Almedia cemetery at 7:30 accompanied by the Bloomsburg Cornet Band. The Post will assist societies, schools and citizens of Espy and Almedia to decorate the graves of fallen heroes after appropriate services.

A detail will be sent to decorate at Vanderslice cemetery, and the New Rosemont cemetery and all the graves except the the Circle in the old Rosemont cemetery in the forenoon.

AFTERNOON.

Ent Post No, 250, G. A. R. and all societies will assemble on North Market street at 2:00 p. m. sharp. March down Market street to Fifth street, out Fifth street to Centre street up Centre street to cemetery where the following service will be held. Prayer by Rev. Frysinger; Recitation, President Lincoln's address at Gettysburg by A. B. Black. G. A. R. memorial service. Music by Bloomsburg Cornet Band during which the graves in Circle will be decorated. Benediction by Rev. Frysinger.

EVENING.

Memorial service in Tabernacle at 7:30 p. m. Music by Y. M. C. A. Quartette. Prayer by Rev. J. W. Bentz. Memorial address by Rev. G. H. Hemingway, followed by Elmer Wilbur, Maj. I. H. Seesholtz and others in short addresses. Recitations by Miss Martha Brugler and Miss Letitia A. Whitney.

All persons having flowers will confer a favor on the Ladies' Circle by bringing or sending them to the Post Room early on Thursday moaning. Persons residing along the line of march are requested to decorate their homes.

Places of business will close at 1 p. m. and remain closed the balance of the day. An invitation is extended to all citizens to join in service and bring flowers

MEMORIAL DAY AT BERWICK.

Memorial Day will be observed in Berwick with both military and civic honors. Ex-Governor Robert E. Pattison will be the Orator of the Day, Congressman Rufus K. Polk, P. A. O'Boyle, Esq. and other distinguished persons will take part in the exercises of the day.

Military and Civic Organizations from abroad will also be present. Among others will be the Young Men's Independent Drill Co, of Wilkes-Barre, Capt. J. F. Phillips, Drill Master: Catawissa, Shickshinny, Berwick and other fine musical organizations will dispense choice music for the occasion.

No trouble or expense will be spared to make this one of the most memorable days in the history of Berwick. Come one, come all and help honor the soldier dead.

The exercises will take place at 12:30 p. m.

At several places in town iron railings have been erected at street corners to prevent the sod from being destroyed by people who haven't time to keep on the sidewalk, but have to cut corners. One gentleman informs us that he put a railing up at his corner for two purposes; one of which was to keep cattle off the pavement, and the other was to keep hogs off the grass.

The strike among the miners at Centralia is causing a daily exodus of people from that town, and, as a result, the business men of that place are suffering. An adjustment of the difficulty is apparently as far away as the day the strike was declared.

OUR MAY SALE COMMENCED TUESDAY, MAY 7.

SPECIAL SALE OF MEN'S, BOYS AND CHILDREN'S SUITS.

$18.00	Suits,	$15.00
15.00	"	12.00
12.00	"	10.00
10.00	"	8.00
8.00	"	6.50
7.50	"	6.00
6.00	"	5.00

Children's Suits reduced in the same proportion.
Our Light Weight Overcoats at a Big Reduction.

The reason we have this reduction sale is we have a little too much stock on hand and want to reduce it.

BEN GIDDING.

Come in and see us—we'll treat you right.

Saturday evening's attendance at the Friendship Fire Co's fair and festival was very large considering the unfavorable weather. A good sized delegation came down from Berwick, and other surrounding towns were represented. Owing to the numerous articles that are still unsold it is difficult to tell just what the company has realized from the fair, but the profits will amount to at least five hundred dollars. An auction sale to close out the remaining articles will be held this evening.

Four new automobiles arrived in town on Monday. They are the property of Paul E. Wirt, C. W. Funston, Myron I. Low and George Low respectively. One ordered by E. B. Tustin has not yet arrived. C. W. Funston has the agency for Columbia and Montour Counties.

Berwick High School was easy for the Juniors at Athletic Park Saturday. The latter batted hard and won hands down. Score 24 to 7.

J. G WELLS,

Successor to S. F. Peacock & Co., Market Square.

The Strafford and Independent Bicycles for $16.20, guaranteed for one year.

Just received—Fine new line of Penna. Lawn Mowers, Hammocks, Fishing Tackle, Base Ball supplies, &c.

J. G. WELLS,
GENERAL HARDWARE.

The Leader Department Store.

UNMATCHAB'E CARPET BARGAINS.

In keeping store one finds that all the criticisms made are not of the fault finding kind. Many patrons, who know good goods, are willing to say that the line submitted is a pleasing one.

This has been our experience with LININGS. Our friends tell us that we keep one of the most complete assortment of LININGS in the county. We are anxious that you say so also.

We offer you the celebrated Gilbert makes Oriental Silks, 18 and 25c. Paune Silks, 25 and 30c. Good Percaline, 15, 18 and 25c. All these are in the popular colorings. We have full lines of all the standard qualities.

Our friends also tell us that we keep the nicest line of SHIRT WAISTS in town. We have pick'd them very carefully and with the sole idea of giving you the best value for your money that there was in the market.

Take our 50 cent Shirt Waist. It is of Percale, has detachable collar, and is well made.

For $1.00 we offer you a cool, gray Cambray cloth, trimmed with figured Cambray. Front has reverse.

Of course, for $2.00 we can show you something better. All with turnover laced trimmed collars, tucked and lace fronts.

Our best is $2 75, and it is a particularly stylish garment, with Allover lace fronts.

The Leader Store Co., Ltd.,

Fourth and Market Sts.

CHILDREN REVIEWED

The President Addresses Fifty Thousand In San Francisco.

MRS. M'KINLEY'S HEALTH IMPROVING

Return Trip May Be Undertaken on Saturday If No Relapse Occurs. A Visit of Inspection to the Soldiers' Encampment.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 22.—The convalescence of Mrs. McKinley is very rapid, and she is fast regaining her normal strength. She was able to sit up yesterday and read the papers. So marked is her improvement that it is very probable the presidential party will start for Washington next Saturday. If no untoward developments should occur, it is thought Mrs. McKinley will be able to endure the journey by that time.

President McKinley reviewed nearly 50,000 school children of this city. Both sides of Van Ness avenue from Jackson to Market streets were lined with cheering and enthusiastic children as the president and members of his party and local officials in carriages were driven from Jackson to Market and back the avenue to Jackson. The president was the recipient of a continuous ovation. Almost every child had been provided with a good sized American flag, and their voices and flags were worked in unison. Each little girl wore white, and most of them had red sashes. Thousands of the youngsters had large bouquets which they threw at the president as he passed along.

After reviewing the school children President McKinley and party drove to the Presidio.

General Shafter and members of his staff were on hand to welcome the commander in chief, and he was escorted

MRS. M'KINLEY.

about the grounds and shown the camps where thousands of volunteers going to and coming from the Philippines have been quartered as well as the camps of the regulars.

The improvement in Mrs. McKinley's condition was so great Saturday that the president decided to attend the launching of the battleship Ohio. This event was one of the chief objects of his visit to California. At 9:30 o'clock Mr. McKinley left the Scott residence and was driven to the wharf of the army transport service. Here he was joined by the members of the cabinet and others of the presidential party and boarded the tug Slocum for a sail around the harbor.

The course of the vessel was shaped so that the party passed within near view of the army transport Sheridan, which had just arrived from the Philippines. Her decks were crowded with the men of the Forty-second and Forty-sixth volunteer infantry, who are on their way home. The soldiers swung their hats and cheered continually as the Slocum passed, the president standing on her main deck and waving both hat and handkerchief in response to their welcome.

A few minutes later the Slocum passed near the battleships Iowa and Wisconsin and the cruiser Philadelphia. These vessels and all the shipping in the harbor displayed hundreds of flags, and the national salute of 21 guns boomed forth from the naval vessels and the army transports. A little before 11 o'clock the presidential party arrived at one of the docks of the Union works, and the hull of the great new battleship loomed into view. Along her dull red sides there were strips of red, white and blue bunting.

The time of high tide was 12:26 o'clock and that was the moment when the great battleship was to slide down the ways. There was fully an hour to wait for the launching, and Mr. McKinley, after making a speech to the workmen, spent the time in chatting with the various members of the party and in asking Mr. Henry T. Scott questions about the construction of the ship.

In other parts of the shipyard immense stands had been erected, and these were filled with a crowd of at least 40,000 persons. The neighboring heights were also thickly covered with eager men, women and children.

When the hour arrived, the president and the members of the official launching party proceeded to the stand. Besides Mr. McKinley there were the members of the cabinet and the ladies of the cabinet, Governor Gage of California, Governor Nash of Ohio, several officials of the Union Iron works and others. Suddenly an electric bell sounded, and Miss Mary Barber, the president's niece, her distinguished uncle standing by her side, pressed a button, which by the use of electricity started the ship down the ways. At the same moment Miss Deshler, the sponsor, broke a bottle of wine over the bow and cried:

"I christen thee Ohio!"

The vessel slid with a slow statelines down the ways, and a great cheer broke forth from the crowd. The president and members of the cabinet waved their hats, and all the steam whistles in the harbor and in San Francisco blew for five minutes.

Governor Nash of Ohio and his personal party, including Miss Helen Deshler, were with the president's party on the Slocum.

Mrs. Gage Dead.

WASHINGTON, May 18.—Mrs. Lyman J. Gage, wife of the secretary of the treasury, died at her residence, 1711 Massachusetts avenue, northwest, at 9:30 o'clock last night, after an illness of nine weeks' duration. With her when the end came was her husband, her married daughter, Mrs. E. F. Pierce of Evanston, Ills., and Dr. W. W. Johnston, the attending physician.

DEATH OF BOUTELLE.

Former Maine Congressman a Victim of Pneumonia.

BOSTON, May 22.—Former Congressman Charles A. Boutelle of Bangor, Me., died yesterday at the McLean asylum, Waverley, where he had been confined for a year with brain trouble. Death was due primarily to pneumonia, which developed last Sunday. Mr. Boutelle's daughter Grace, who has been at the head of the household since her mother's death in 1892, was at the bedside.

Mr. Boutelle was 62 years of age, and on his retirement from congress last winter was placed on the retired list of the navy as a captain, an office to which he was eligible by reason of civil war and congressional committee services. Three daughters survive.

Mr. Boutelle's illness dates from Dec. 21, 1899, when he was seized by a fit of unconsciousness while at a hotel in this city. He was carried to his room and later became delirious. At midnight it was announced that Mr. Boutelle was suffering from an attack of congestion of the brain, which, it was hoped, would be only temporary.

Later Mr. Boutelle was taken to his home in Bangor, but immediately returned to McLean asylum, where he has since remained. His mental condition, it is stated, had improved considerably.

CUBANS TAKE NO VOTE.

Minority of Committee on Relations Change Their Base.

HAVANA, May 22.—At yesterday's session of the Cuban constitutional convention Senores Gualberto Gomez and Silva withdrew the minority report of the committee on relations and substituted for it the old majority report of the committee which was drawn up before the commission went to Washington and was signed by Senores Gualberto Gomez, Silva and Villuendas, but which was never acted upon by the convention because it was a rejection of the Platt amendment, particularly in respect of the right of intervention and the coaling stations.

Senor Sanguily made a bitter attack upon Senor Gomez and the radicals, asserting that the United States had always been fair and honorable in their dealings with Cuba, that the policy of the Washington government was to establish the republic and that the concessions asked by the United States were necessary to maintain the republic. He spoke for nearly two hours.

The convention adjourned without coming to a vote.

BASEBALL SCORES.

Results of Yesterday's Games In the National League.

At Brooklyn—

St. Louis	1	0	8	0	2	0	0	0	0	—11
Brooklyn	1	0	3	1	0	0	0	0	0	— 5

Hits—St. Louis, 14; Brooklyn, 12. Errors—St. Louis, 2; Brooklyn, 5. Batteries—Harper, Powell and Nichols; Kennedy, McCann and McGuire.

At New York—

Pittsburg	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	— 1
New York	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	*	— 2

Hits—Pittsburg, 5; New York, 7. Errors—Pittsburg, 2; New York, 2. Batteries—Philippi and O'Connor; Mathewson, Bowerman and Smith.

At Boston—

Cincinnati	0	0	2	0	0	0	1	1	0	— 4
Boston	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	— 1

Hits—Cincinnati, 9; Boston, 4. Errors—Cincinnati, 2; Boston, 3. Batteries—Phillips and Bergen; Dineen and Kittredge.

At Philadelphia—

Chicago	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	— 3
Philadelphia	0	0	1	0	2	1	1	0	*	— 5

Hits—Chicago, 11; Philadelphia, 8. Errors—Chicago, 3; Philadelphia, 1. Batteries—Hughes and Kling; Orth and Douglass.

TABLE OF PERCENTAGES.

	W.	L.	P.C.
Cincinnati	14	8	.636
New York	11	7	.610
Pittsburg	12	10	.545
Philadelphia	13	11	.542
Boston	9	10	.474
St. Louis	10	13	.435
Brooklyn	9	12	.429
Chicago	10	17	.370

General Porter Dead.

MORRISTOWN, N. J., May 22.—General Fitz John Porter died yesterday. He was taken suddenly worse Monday morning, but immediate collapse was not looked for until midnight, when it was seen that he could not long survive. Both his sons and his physician were with him when he died. His daughter did not arrive until later. Aside from his military and civic record and the various promotions for gallant conduct which he received during his career as a soldier and which brought General Porter before the public, the most prominent incident of his life was his dismissal from the army and the long and bitter fight which he waged for restoration.

Prominent Democrat Dead.

WATERTOWN, N. Y., May 22.—Wilbur F. Porter, mayor of this city and Democratic nominee for governor of this state in 1886, is dead, aged 68 years. Mayor Porter was born in Herkimer county, this state, and resided in this city nearly all his life. He was widely known as a criminal lawyer and counselor. He was six times chosen mayor, being the nominee of both parties one year. Governor Flower appointed him a member of the state board of claims, which office he held for six years. He was nominated for governor in 1886 by the regular Democratic organization, when the party was split on the money issue, and he was defeated.

Carnegie's Gift to Scotland.

LONDON, May 21.—A dispatch from Edinburgh to the Central News says that Andrew Carnegie has given £2,000,000 to provide education in the Edinburgh, Glasgow, St. Andrews and Aberdeen universities for Scotch students only. A trust will be formed to administer the funds. Mr. Carnegie estimates that the £50,000 per year which he is willing to provide will open the doors of the universities to every boy and girl in Scotland who is able to pass the entrance examinations. It is expected that the scheme will be prepared by the government.

President Callaway Resigns.

NEW YORK, May 18.—Harvey Fisk & Sons, bankers, formally announce that Samuel R. Callaway, president of the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad company, has resigned to become the head of the new American Locomotive company, the gigantic trust formed by J. Pierpont Morgan. It is understood that Mr. Callaway's salary will be commensurate with the vast responsibility of the position to which his broad technical knowledge fits him.

Celebrated Seward's Birth.

MIDDLETOWN, N. Y., May 17.—The one hundredth anniversary of the birth of William H. Seward was celebrated last night at his birthplace, Florida, Orange county. Addresses were delivered by his son, General William H Seward of Auburn, and the Rev. S. S Seward of New York.

EXPOSITION OPENED.

Formal Welcome to the Pan-American Extended.

ROOSEVELT THE GUEST OF HONOR.

An Imposing Military and Civic Parade, Followed by a Great Flow of Oratory and Music—Fine Electrical Display.

BUFFALO, May 21.—In the presence of a vast concourse of people, with ceremonial both conventional and novel, the Pan-American exposition was yesterday formally dedicated. The day was fair and last night the industrious, energetic men who planned this great enterprise rejoiced in flattering success. The day began with a parade, in which there were men from nearly every country in the world, and ended with an aerial bombardment from flying bombs and a brilliant electrical illumination.

The day's total admissions from 8 a. m. until 11 p. m. were 101,687. This does not include several thousand persons who came in through the Lincoln park way entrance with the parade.

As the procession formed there was a reception of distinguished visitors, foreign representatives, state commissioners, officers and officials at the city hall. Vice President Roosevelt was the guest of honor, and when he reached the hall the parade was started with a volley of aerial bombs. Two thousand troops, who got their time from four bands, led the way, and after them were 100 carriages with the officials and guests. Behind them came the concessionnaires from the Midway. West Indians mingled with the children of the tropics, the orient and the Mediterranean and gave the procession its truest touch of color. They were in native costume, had a score of artistic floats, and 15 bands furnished them with music.

The vice president and party then filed on into the Temple of Music, and the parade, reforming, marched on through the grounds. The formal dedicatory ceremonies in the presence of a crowd limited only by the size of the hall were impressive. There were strong words for closer union among the American republics, and the remarks of Vice President Roosevelt on that point and the congratulatory telegrams from the presidents of the American republics excited the greatest enthusiasm.

All of the American republics were represented at the dedication, and their military attaches and commissioners were given conspicuous places in the group of special guests. Friendly expressions came by cable from national neighbors, and the local directors rejoiced in the kindly feeling and interest shown. The exercises began at 12:45 o'clock with the rendition of Handel's "Alleluia" by the Seventy-first Regiment band. The venerable Bishop Charles H. Fowler led in prayer before an audience stilled and bowed.

President Milburn read a series of congratulatory telegrams, and their reading provoked cheer upon cheer. Mayor Conrad Diehl was then introduced, and when the cheers over his speech had subsided Robert Cameron Rogers recited a poem.

The Orpheus society gave a magnificent rendering of Sturm's "Salve Libertas," and Vice President Roosevelt was presented. He was vigorously cheered and made several attempts to speak before he found quieted auditors.

Emilio de Gogorza sang the prologue from "I Pagliacci," and Senator Lodge was presented. He, too, was very cordially welcomed. When he had finished, Frederic Almy read a poem. Lieutenant Governor Timothy Woodruff then spoke.

Connecticut Legislation.

HARTFORD, May 22.—At the session of the general assembly yesterday the senate passed a bill placing a tax of 1 per cent on the stock of all private corporations except savings banks and charitable and religious institutions. The bill giving property of persons dying intestate to parents instead of to brothers and sisters, as is now the practice, was passed in concurrence with the house. The house passed the voting machine bill permitting towns to purchase and use voting machines and establishing a voting machine commission. A measure appropriating $450,000 for public road improvements was also passed. The chairman announced to the house that the total biennial appropriations of the session already amount to $5,612,150, which is $267,000 more than the estimated receipts and nearly $686,000 more than was appropriated in 1899.

Went Over Niagara.

NIAGARA FALLS, May 20.—A man supposed to be William Gardhouse of Brampton, Ont., walked out into Niagara river near the brink of the falls in Prospect park yesterday afternoon and was swept over the brink and dashed to death on the rocks below. A large number of people saw the man deliberately walk to his death, but he was carried over the falls so quickly that no one could do anything to save him.

Kept to Her House For Fifty Years.

NEW YORK, May 22.—Mrs. Hester Thorpe, widow of Frederick Thorpe, is dead at her home in Flushing, aged 72 years. Mrs. Thorpe had not been outside of her house for 50 years. She never saw the steam or trolley cars in Flushing. She was very suspicious of everybody and would not face people, but conversed with relatives with her back turned.

Admiral Schley Arrives.

NEW YORK, May 22.—Rear Admiral Winfield S. Schley arrived here on the Kaiser Wilhelm der Grosse after a flying trip across the ocean to see his son, Dr. W. S. Schley, whose life was despaired of some days ago. At St. Luke's hospital it was said the patient was much better.

Avalanche Destroys Italian Village.

MILAN, May 22.—The village of Aurenza has been partially destroyed by an avalanche. The number of fatalities is not yet known, but already 15 corpses have been recovered.

Venezuela Town Shaken.

CARACAS, Venezuela, May 22.—The city of Cumana was visited by a violent earthquake shock at 5 o'clock yesterday morning. There was no loss of life, the only damage being to property.

Patrick Gleason Dead.

NEW YORK, May 21.—Patrick J. Gleason, former mayor of Long Island City and popularly known as "Battleax" Gleason, died at his home in that place last night, aged 70 years.

MORE CHIEFS YIELD.

General MacArthur Celebrates Event by Releasing 1,000 Prisoners.

MANILA, May 21.—General MacArthur celebrated the surrenders of the insurgent generals Mascardo and Lacuna by releasing 1,000 Filipino prisoners.

The presidente of the island of Lubang, which lies northwest of the island of Mindoro, has been arrested and brought to Cavite, charged with being an accomplice of the insurgents.

General Lacuna, with his entire force of 31 officers and 245 riflemen, has surrendered to General Funston. They were liberated after taking the oath of allegiance to the United States.

With the surrender of Generals Lacuna and Alejandrino there is not an armed insurgent in Bulacan and only 30 riflemen in Nueva Ecija, and it is expected that these will soon surrender. General Funston says that if an investigation shows that any of the rebels who have just surrendered were implicated in any violation of the laws of war or had been guilty of murder he could easily find them.

General Wheaton telegraphs as follows: "All the insurgent leaders in north Luzon have surrendered, terminating the war in this part of the country so far as armed resistance to America is concerned."

CLERGYMAN A SUICIDE.

Dr. Babcock of New York Takes His Own Life In Naples.

NEW YORK, May 20.—A dispatch just received from Naples says, "Further investigation into the case of the American clergyman who committed suicide here Saturday in the International hospital by severing an artery of his wrist and swallowing corrosive sublimate and who was mentioned in yesterday's dispatch as 'Mr. Maltie, an American evangelical minister,' proves the suicide to have been the Rev. Maltbie Davenport Babcock."

Dr. Babcock and his wife sailed from New York last February with a company of 45 persons, mainly clergymen, for a tour of the Mediterranean and the Holy Land. Among the travelers were Dr. Riggs, the Rev. Dr. Wilton Merle Smith and Frank S. Hastings, who is well known in the Brick church and is a brother-in-law of E. C. Benedict.

Dr. Babcock was called from a Baltimore pastorate to the Brick church in November, 1899, and assumed the pulpit in the following January. In the summer of 1900 he declined to take a vacation, saying that he would wait until this year.

New Boer Invasion.

LONDON, May 22.—A dispatch from Middelburg, Cape Colony, says an important concentration of the Boers is proceeding in the Zuurberg. Many fresh invaders are crossing the Orange river in Cape Colony, and Commandant Fouche has also joined the burghers in that district. The total strength of the Boers in that district is estimated at between 1,000 and 1,500. There is an unconfirmed rumor that General Christian De Wet is again in command of the Boer invaders. The British military officers are cognizant of the movements of the Boers and are prepared for them. A dispatch from Cape Town says Commandant Kritzinger, with 200 men, has passed through Colesberg. It is also said that General Hertzog's commando has been without bread for five months.

Floods In North Carolina.

CHARLOTTE, N. C., May 22.—A special to The Observer from Asheville, N. C., says: "The heaviest and most disastrous rain fell yesterday in Asheville and the surrounding country that has visited this vicinity in years. Bottom land is ruined, and hillsides are yawning gulches. Bridges are gone, and many roads are impassable. The water is up to the floors in many dwellings and has reached the fires in the electric light plant. The city is in darkness. The waters of the French, Broad and Swannanoa rivers have reached the highest point on record. The water is a foot deep in the ice factory and flour mills. At Biltmore the Southern railway tracks were washed out of place and twisted into all sorts of shapes.

Priest Found Dead.

NEW YORK, May 18.—Father Edward S. Phillips, the priest who came to New York from Hazleton, Pa., in March to intercede with J. Pierpont Morgan in behalf of the coal miners who were threatening to strike, has been found dead in a room in a little rear tenement at 730 Ninth avenue. He had been dead at least a week. In the same room in which the decomposed body was found a man who is now held on suspicion in the West Forty-seventh street police station has been quietly living—eating, sleeping and washing his clothes. The story which he tells, at the most a wildly rambling one, does not explain away the belief, which the circumstances of the case at once produce, that the dead priest has been murdered.

Kipling Loses His Suit.

NEW YORK, May 22.—In the suit of Rudyard Kipling against George Putnam's Sons for infringement of copyright on the "Outward Bound" edition of Kipling's works Judge Lacombe, in the United States circuit court, took the case from the jury, directing a nonsuit. This decides the suit in favor of the Putnams.

Eloped at 81.

GREENUP, Ky., May 22.—Because their children opposed their marrying William Henderson, 81 years old, and Martha Jaynes, 60 years old, ran away and were secretly married. Mr. Henderson is a wealthy man. It is understood that the couple will be away on a long wedding tour.

New York Markets.

FLOUR—State and western quiet and very steady; Minnesota patents, $3.95@4.20; winter straights, $3.45@3.55; winter extras, $2.45@2.80; winter patents, $3.65@4.

WHEAT—Fairly active and firmer on bullish continental cables, southwest buying, drought in spring wheat states and Wall street buying; July, 78½@79¼c.; September, 75½@76⅝c.

RYE—Steady; state, 57@58c., c. i. f., New York, car lots; No. 2 western, 60½c., f. o. b., afloat.

CORN—Also firmer on a good speculative demand west, light offerings and sympathy with wheat; July, 49@49¼c.; September, 48¾@48⅞c.

OATS—Dull, but steady; track, white, state, 33@37½c.; track, white, western, 33@37½c.

PORK—Quiet; mess, $15@16; family, $16@16.50.

LARD—Steady; prime western steam, 8.50c.

BUTTER—Steady; state dairy, 15@18c.; creamery, 15@19c.

CHEESE—Irregular; fancy, large, colored, sc.; fancy, large, white, 8¼c.; fancy, small, colored, 8½c.; fancy, small, white, 8¾c.

EGGS—Irregular; state and Pennsylvania, 13½c.; western, ungraded, 11@12½c.

TALLOW—Steady; city, 4½c.; country, 5@5½c.

HAY—Quiet; shipping, 75c.; good to choice, 92½@95c.

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THE MARKETS.

BLOOMSBURG MARKETS.

CORRECTED WEEKLY.	RETAIL PRICES.
Butter, per pound	$ 22
Eggs, per dozen	14
Lard, per pound	11
Ham, per pound	13½
Pork (whole), per pound	06
Beef (quarter), per pound	6 to 8
Wheat, per bushel	90
Oats, do	40
Rye, do	60
Wheat, per bbl	$4 00 to 4 40
Hay, per ton	16 00
Potatoes, per bushel	60
Turnips, do	20
Onions, do	1 40
Sweet potatoes, per peck	35
Tallow, per pound	05
Shoulder, do	11
Side meat, do	09
Vinegar, per qt	05
Dried apples, per pound	05
Dried cherries, pitted, per pound	12
Raspberries, per pound	12
Cow hides, do	3½
Steer do do	05
Calf skin	80
Sheep pelts	75
Shelled corn, per bushel	65
Corn meal, cwt	1 50
Bran, cwt	1 10
Chop, cwt	1 15
Middlings, cwt	1 10
Chickens, per pound, new	11
do do old	10
Turkeys, do	2½
Geese, do	12
Ducks, do	08

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Number 6, delivered	3 10
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do 6, at yard	2 85
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Mention this paper.

Accomodations For Visitors in Buffalo.

Hotels, Boarding and Rooming Houses, Besides Many Private Homes, on the List.

So much has been said and written about the ability of the City of Buffalo to care for the crowds which will attend the Pan-American Exposition this Summer, that a few facts and figures will be appreciated by the general public.

In the first place there are listed more than two hundred hotels which will give accommadation to thirty thousand people; there are six hundred and fifty boarding and rooming houses affording accommodation for eighteen thousand five hundred, while seven thousand owners of houses, most of whom never before hung out their latch string for a consideration, have signified their intention of opening their houses for the accommodation of visitors to Buffalo this summer. These seven thousand homes will accommodate at least one hundred thousand visitors.

The Exposition Company has arranged to furnish tent accommodation on the Exposition grounds for two hundred and fifty uniformed men. There are also two companies arranging tent systems which will afford additional accommodation outside of the grounds to fifteen hundred or so.

In addition to all this there are a large number of buildings throughout the city being remodeled and converted into hotels, the plans of which are not far enough along to afford an accurate description or to estimate accommodation at the present time. It is safe to estimate the present capacity of the City of Buffalo to accommodate one hundred and fifty thousand strangers. To this may be added accommodations for at least fifty thousand in the surrounding towns such as Tonawanda, La Salle, Niagara Falls, Lockport, Williamsville, Gardensville, Depew and Lancaster, all within a short trolley ride of the city.

Rates in hotels range from $1 per day upward. As ridiculous stories have been circulated in regard to exorbitant hotel rates it is well to note the rates that have been estabiished at the Iroquois, the most expensive hotel in the city, these are for one in a room, without bath, $3 and upward; for two in a room without bath, $5 and upward; thus making the minimum rate $2.50 per individual. The rates for a room with bath for one person, $5, or two in a room $7.50. This is on the European plan. Of course there are room and suites of rooms in this hotel for much higher rates for those who wish to pay them, but the prices here given are the highest in the city for hotel accommodations as the term is originally understood.

The Brozel after May 1 will charge from $4 to $5 with two or more in a room; this rate is strictly on the American plan. Meals at this hotel are 75c each.

The Genesee will charge from $2 upward on the European plan.

Rates at the Mansion House, on the European plan, will be from $1.50 per day upward, with two in a room.

The New Tifft House will be run on the European plan after May 1st, and will charge $2.50 to $3.00 per day for a room, without bath, and from $3.50 to $5.00 with bath.

Good accommodations can be secured in many other good hotels at rates ranging from $1 per day up.

Among the private homes of the city accommodations may be secured in as good rooms as a person would wish to occupy.

LIGHT STREET.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Melick, of Wilkes-Barre, visited the former's parents over Sunday.

Mrs. H. W. Terwilliger is at present visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cotner, of Jerseytown.

Miss Agnes Raup is now at Shamokin employed at her trade, dressmaking.

Mr. G. E. Grimes contempiates improving his property with a new coat of paint.

Mrs. Harry Stout is still at Stroudsburg, whither she was called on account of the illness of her sister.

A Sunday School Convention of the United Evangelical Church, is in progress here at this writing.

Miss Butt, daughter of Z. A. Butt, of Jackson, visited at Mr. Buckwalter's over Sunday.

HOW'S THIS?—We offer one hundred dollars reward for any case of catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

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WASHINGTON.

From our Regular Correspondent.

Washington, May 20, 1901.

A most extraordinary promise was this week made the Cubans by the administration, through Senator Platt, of Connecticut. And the method of making was as extraordinary as the promise. Senator Platt, just after an extended conference with Secretary Root, at which advices from General Wood saying that the Cubans were hanging back about accepting the Platt amendment, waiting for some definite assurance of tariff concessions, were carefully gone over, gave out an authorized interview, in which he promised that Cougress would, soon after the Cuban government was organized, arrange for a form of reciprocity with Cuba that would be satisfactory. Of course this was done in diplomatic language, so that in case Congress fails to see reciprocity with Cuba with administration eyes it can be claimed that Senator Platt was only speaking for himself. But there is no doubt that it was intended for the Cubans to regard the promise as coming from the administration and the Republican majority in Congress. It is understood that this promise was made because the Cubans did not consider a promise to negotiate a reciprocity treaty under the Dingley law, which would require the approval of two-thirds of the Senate to become operative, satisfactory. It may be that the administration can make good Senator Platt's promise, but the sugar and tobacco interests of this country will be sure to make it a sizable job, and it may make trouble for Senator Platt in his own State, the tobacco growers of which would be affected to a considerable extent.

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Such of the Washington relics which were taken from Arlington House at the beginning of the civil war, and which have been on exhibition in the National Museum for some years, as she desired were this week turned over to Miss Mary Custis Lee, representing her brother Gen. G. W. C. Lee, their legal owner, by the United States Government. Several of the relics, including one of Washington's tents, a treasure chest, a lantern, and a glass candelabra, were left in the National Museum, subject to the order of the owner. Gen. Fitz Lee, her cousin, accompanied Miss Lee in her visit to the museum. The final disposition of the articles removed from the museum has not been determined upon. This act of rightful restitution has not seriously injured the Washington exhibit, in the museum, as many of the articles which were large pieces of furniture, which have been stored away, and others were duplicates of articles which properly belong to the government.

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The alleged investigation of the commissary stealing, at Manilla, is resulting in the old, old story. Some insignificant persons are being made scapegoats and the big thieves who have a pull, are not touched. Friends ot the administration are pointing to the sentence of a sergeant to three years imprisonment and of a civilian employe to five years, as showing that the thieves are being punished, but thoughtful persons regard that news as indicating that the little thieves only are to be punished, while the big thieves are left at liberty to enjoy the fruits of their thefts.

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Ex-Governor McCreary, Chairman of the Kentucky State Democratic Committee, is in Washington. Asked what the Democratic outlook in his State was, he replied: "The party is thoroughly organized throughout the State and is in perfect harmony. At no time has there been a better feeling within the party. At the election this fall I think we will carry the state by fifteen or twenty thousand, having a majority in both branches of the legislature, and a large majority on joint ballot. The legislature then elected will choose a United States Senator". If his prediction as to the legislature holds good, Gov. McCreary will be a candate to succeed Senator Deboe. Speaking of the Republican claims of many converts in the South and the alleged growth of republican sentiment in that section, Gov. McCreary said: I know that in Kentucky the tendency is not toward the adoption of Republican policies. On the contrary, Democratic sentiment is growing stronger. I observe that this is true also of Alabama, where I am familiar with conditions, and I believe that Democratic sentiment is growing stronger in the South generally. The Southern people do not believe in high protection, in colonization, in a large standing army, nor in trusts. The more closely the Republican party becomes identified with colonization, as exemplified in the Philippines; with the maintenance of a large standing army, and with the trusts, the stronger becomes the spirit of Democracy in the South. The Southern people do not believe in these things and can have no sympathy with a party that is identified with them."

The administration deserves all the sympathy it is getting for the streak of hard luck it is up against, on its feminine side. With Mr. McKinley having to break his excursion off in the middle on account of the illness of Mrs. McKinley; the daughter of Secretary Long dangerously ill, in Colorado, and the wife of Secretary Gage dead, in Washington, it looks like a veritable wrestle with a health hoodoo.

Pan-American Exposition, Buffalo, N. Y.

May 1 to October 31, 1901.

For the above occasion the following fares and arrangements will apply from Bloomsburg via the Lackawanna Railroad: Season tickets, $13.50; ten-day tickets, $9.60; five-day tickets, $7.00. Season and ten-day tickets will be sold every day, five day tickets on Tuesdays and Saturdays only. All tickets will be limited to continuous passage in both directions. Fares to Niagara Falls will be 25 cents higher than the five and ten-day fares quoted to Buffalo, but the season tickets will include the trip to Niagara Falls without extra cost. Three fast trains each day. For further particulars apply to ticket agents. 5-2tf

Turning in Stamps.

Banks and Other Business Houses Don't Want to be Caught.

Banks and other business concerns that have on hand a surplus of check books with the revenue stamp printed thereon have already begun turning in their claims to the several internal revenue offices with a view of securing reimbursement for all papers of this kind that will not be used before July 1. This is the date when the new stamp act goes into effect.

This accumulation of stamped checks arose from the belief that the stamp act of 1898 would continue in force for a much longer period. Many business houses had checks printed with the firm name at the government offices in New York, Philadelphia and Chicago. There will be no rebate for the cost of printing the check, but merely for the stamp, so that all the printed matter will be a dead loss to the owners.

The documentary revenues are cut one-half after July 1, and there will be no stamps required on patent medicines. This does not mean that there will be a rebate made by the government for any stamped goods of that kind which may remain on the hands of the dealers or manufacturers after the new law goes into effect. Makers of deeds for property and purchasers of the same will bear in mind that any document of that kind made before July 1 that does not bear the proper revenue stamps is not a legal paper, and any transfers made by such unstamped documents are invalid.

The effects of such negligence and carelessness are shown every now and then in connection with the old act of Civil War times, which was repealed in 1873. Attorneys in examining titles for property sold, when that act was in effect, occasionally discover that the indentures were not stamped and these lawyers at once denounced the titles as defective. The only curative measures left was to purchase the stamps in use during those years and pay the penalty for the neglect.

Pen Picture for Women.

"I am so nervous, there is not a well inch in my whole body. I am so weak at my stomach, and have indigestion horribly, and palpitation of the heart, and I am losing flesh. This headache and backache nearly kills me, and yesterday I nearly had hysterics; there is a weight in the lower part of my bowels bearing down all the time, and pains in my groins and thighs; I cannot sleep, walk or sit, and I believe I am diseased all over; no one ever suffered as I do."

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Look Out For Him.

A man is around claiming to be an old soldier, and from Alabama, soliciting subscriptions for a paper which he says is poulished in Washington, called the *Weekly Record*. He collects one dollar and gives a spoon or some other household article as a premium. He solicits only from soldiers and soldiers' widows. Look out for him; as yet no one has received the paper, and no such a paper can be found in the newspaper directory.

Does the Baby Thrive

If not, something must be wrong with its food. If the mother's milk doesn't nourish it, she needs SCOTT'S EMULSION. It supplies the elements of fat required for the baby. If baby is not nourished by its artificial food, then it requires

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RAILROAD TIME TABLE

LACKAWANNA RAILROAD.

BLOOMSBURG DIVISION.

In effect June 10, 1900.

STATIONS.	EAST. A.M.	P.M.	A.M.	P.M.
NORTHUMBERLAND	10 35	1.50	10 00	15 50
Cameron	6 47	2 01	....	6 03
Chulasky	....	....	....	....
Danville	6 58	2 11	10 19	6 12
Catawissa	7 12	2 24	10 34	6 27
Rupert	7 17	2 29	10 37	6 32
Bloomsburg	7 24	2 34	10 43	6 38
Espy	7 32	2 40	10 48	6 44
Lime Ridge	7 39	2 46	....	16 50
Willow Grove	17 44	12 50	....	....
Briarcreek	7 49	2 53	....	16 58
Berwick	7 55	3 01	11 05	7 05
Beach Haven	8 02	3 08	....	7 12
Hick's Ferry	8 12	3 09	....	7 21
Shickshinny	8 17	3 20	11 29	7 31
Hunlock's	8 32	3 31	....	7 41
Nanticoke	8 38	3 38	11 43	7 46
Avondale	3 42	3 42	....	....
Plymouth	8 47	3 47	11 51	7 35
Plymouth Junction	8 51	3 52	....	....
Kingston	8 53	4 00	11 59	8 02
Bennett	9 01	4 03	....	8 04
Forty Fort	9 04	4 07	....	....
Wyoming	9 09	4 12	12 08	8 12
West Pittston	9 13	4 17	....	8 16
Susquehanna Ave	9 16	4 20	12 14	8 18
Pittston	9 19	4 24	12 17	8 16
Duryea	9 23	4 29	....	8 25
Lackawanna	9 26	4 32	....	8 27
Taylor	9 32	4 40	....	8 35
Bellevue	9 37	4 45	....	....
SCRANTON	9 42	4 50	12 35	8 45
	A.M	P.M.	P.M	P.M

STATIONS.	WEST. A.M.	A.M.	P.M.	P.M.
SCRANTON	6 45	10 05	1 55	5 50
Bellevue	6 50	....	....	....
Taylor	6 55	10 15	2 03	5 59
Lackawanna	7 01	10 23	2 10	6 06
Duryea	7 03	10 26	2 13	6 09
Pittston	7 07	10 31	2 17	6 13
Susquehanna Ave	7 10	10 33	2 19	6 16
West Pittston	7 13	10 35	2 23	6 19
Wyoming	7 17	10 40	2 27	6 24
Forty Fort	....	....	....	....
Bennett	7 24	10 49	2 34	6 30
Kingston	7 30	10 54	2 40	6 35
Plymouth Junction	....	....	....	....
Plymouth	7 38	11 03	2 49	6 43
Avondale	7 42	.....	2 54	....
Nanticoke	7 45	11 11	2 58	6 51
Hunlock's	7 51	11 17	3 06	6 57
Shickshinny	8 01	11 29	3 20	7 13
Hick's Ferry	8 12	f11 43	3 30	....
Beach Haven	8 18	11 48	3 37	f7 28
Berwick	8 23	11 54	3 44	7 33
Briarcreek	8 28	.....	3 50	....
Willow Grove	8 31	.....	3 54	....
Lime Ridge	8 34	f12 09	3 58	....
Espy	8 39	12 15	4 06	7 52
Bloomsburg	8 44	12 22	4 12	7 57
Rupert	8 49	12 27	4 17	8 01
Catawissa	8 54	12 32	4 22	8 05
Danville	9 09	12 47	4 38	8 20
Chulasky	....	....	f4 42	....
Cameron	9 21	12 57	4 48	....
NORTHUMBERLAND	9 32	1 10	5 00	8 45
	A.M.	P.M.	P.M.	P.M.

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SOUTH.— ARRIVE.				STATIONS.	—NORTH LEAVE			
a m	a.m.	p m	p.m.		a m	p m	p.m.	a m
7.10	12.08	6.25	2.15	Bloomsbu'g.	8.47	2 40	6.55	6.10
7.08	12.00	6.16	2.10	" P. & F.	8.49	2.42	6.57	
7.03	11.57	6.14	2.05	" Main st..	8.52	2.45	6.40	
6.58	11.47	6.02	1 50	Paper Mill.	9.01	2.54	6.51	6.37
6.50	11.43	5.59	1.45	..Light St..	9.05	2.59	5.55	6.50
6.40	11.33	5.49	1.35	Orangeville.	9.15	3.10	7.04	7.10
6.29	11.2	5.38	1.00	...Forks ...	9.28	3.26	7.14	7.35
6.25	11.19	5.34	12.53	...Zaner's...	9.27	3.24	7.18	7.45
6.18	11.13	5.27	12.45	.Stillwater	9.33	3.30	7.23	8.00
6.08	11.05	5.17	12.33	...Benton..	9.43	3.40	7.33	8.30
6.04	11.00	5.12	12.10	...Edson's...	9.47	3.44	7.37	8.40
5.02	10.58	5.10	12.05	Cole's Cr'k.	9.50	3.47	7 41	8.46
5.53	10.52	5.03	11.53	..Laubach..	9.58	3.57	7.51	9.00
5.43	10.43	4.53	11.45	...Central...	10.10	4.07	8.01	9.25
5.40	10.40	4.50	11.30	Jam. City..	10.14	4.10	8.05	9.35
a m	am	p m	p m		a m	pm	p m	a m
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Pennsylvania Railroad.

Time Table in effect May 18, 1901

Scranton(2d & H)	lv	A. M. 6 40	A. M. 5 28	P. M. 12 18	P. M. 4 21
Pittston	"	7 08	10 00	12 42	4 54
Wilkesbarre	lv	A. M. 6 50	A. M. 10 00	P. M. 12 30	P. M. 5 00
Plym'th Ferry	"	7 05	10 12	12 45	5 07
Nanticoke	"	7 46	10 50	1 26	5 47
Mocanaqua	"	8 04	11 07	1 46	6 05
Wapwallopen	"	8 13	11 16	1 56	6 14
Nescopeck	ar	8 24	11 26	2 07	6 24
Pottsville	lv	A. M. 5 50		P. M. 12 01	P. M. 4
Hazleton	"	7 05		2 00	5 50
Tomhicken	"	7 22		2 18	6 10
Fern Glen	"	7 29		2 27	6 18
Rock Glen	"	7 35		2 34	6 25
Nescopeck	ar	8 03		3 00	6 50
Nescopeck	lv	A. M. 8 24	A. M. 11 26	P. M. 2 07	P. M. 7 01
Creasy	"	8 33	11 36	2 16	7 05
Espy Ferry	"	8 42	11 46	2 24	7 20
S. Bloomsburg	"	8 47	11 50	2 29	7 25
Catawissa	ar	8 55	11 57	2 35	7 32
Catawissa	lv	8 55	11 57	2 55	7 32
S. Danville	"	9 14	12 15	3 53	7 51
Sunbury	"	9 35	12 40	5 15	8 15
Sunbury	lv	A. M. 9 42	P. M. 1 10	P. M. 5 45	P. M. 8 40
Lewisburg	ar	10 18	1 45	6 18	.....
Milton	"	10 08	1 39	6 14	9 04
Williamsport	"	11 00	2 30	7 10	9 50
Lock Haven	"	11 59	3 40	8 07	.....
Renovo	"	A. M. 1 25	4 40	9 00	.....
Kane	"	.....	8 25	.....	.....
Lock Haven	lv	P. M. 12 10	P. M. 18 45	.....	.....
Bellefonte	ar	1 05	19 44	.....	.....
Tyrone	"	2 15	16 00	.....	.....
Philipsburg	"	4 41	18 26	.....	.....
Clearfield	"	5 37	19 09	.....	.....
Pittsburg	"	6 55	111 30	.....	.....
Sunbury	lv	A. M. 1 9 50	P. M. 1 1 55	P. M. 1 5 25	P. M. 1 8 31
Harrisburg	ar	11 30	3 15	6 55	110 10
Philadelphia	ar	P. M. 1 3 17	P. M. 6 23	P. M. 110 20	A. M. 1 4 25
Baltimore	"	3 11	9 00	9 45	2 30
Washington	"	4 10	7 15	10 55	4 05
Sunbury	lv	A. M. 10 00	P. M. 2 03	.....	.....
Lewistown Jc	ar	P. M. 11 40	3 50	.....	.....
Pittsburg	"	6 55	11 30	.....	.....
Harrisburg	lv	A. M. 11 45	P. M. 3 45	P. M. 7 20	P. M 10 25
Pittsburg	ar	6 55	11 30	A. M. 1 1 50	A. M 5 30

‡ Weekdays. Daily. f Flag station.

Pittsburg	lv	P. M. 1 7 10	p. m 1 8 30	a. m. 1 3 00	a. m 1 8 00
Harrisburg	ar	A. M. 1 1 55	A. M. 1 3 40	1 9 0	P. M. 1 3 10
Pittsburg	lv	.....	a. m.	p. m.	a. m. † 8 00
Lewistown Jc.	"	.....	† 7 30	3 43	P. M. † 3 10
Sunbury	ar	.....	† 9 20	5 08	† 5 00
Washington	lv	p.m. 110 40	A. M.	A. M. † 7 50	a. m 10 50
Baltimore	"	111 41	1 4 55	† 8 40	111 45
Philadelphia	"	111 20	1 4 25	1 8 30	112 20
Harrisburg	lv	A. M. 1 3 35	A. M. 1 7 55	A. M. †11 40	P. M. † 4 00
Sunbury	ar	1 5 05	1 9 36	1 10	† 5 40
Pittsburg	lv	P. M. 112 45	.....	A. M. 1 3 00	A. M. 1 8 00
Clearfield	"	4 09	.....	.....	9 28
Philipsburg	"	4 56	.....	.....	10 12
Tyrone	"	7 15	.....	1 8 10	12 30
Bellefonte	"	8 31	.....	9 32	1 42
Lock Haven	ar	9 30	.....	10 30	2 48
Erie	lv	1 5 35	.....	.....	.....
Kane	"	8 40	.....	1 6 00	.....
Renovo	"	12 40	† 6 45	10 30	.....
Lock Haven	"	1 25	† 7 35	11 25	1 3 00
Williamsport	"	A. M. 2 10	1 8 30	P. M. †12 40	4 00
Milton	"	2 22	9 19	1 27	4 52
Lewisburg	"	.....	9 05	1 15	4 47
Sunbury	ar	3 10	9 46	1 55	5 20
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Wapwallopen	ar	8 18	11 20	3 19	7 09
Mocanaqua	"	8 28	11 32	3 29	7 21
Nanticoke	"	8 48	11 54	3 48	7 42
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Pittston(2 & H)	ar	A. M. † 9 39	P. M. f12 55	P. M. † 4 56	P. M. † 8 36
Scranton	"	10 08	1 24	5 24	9 05

Additional train will leave Hazleton 5.15 p.m., Rock Glen, 5.50 p. m., arriving at Catawissa 6.25 p. m.

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Leave Pottsville 12.30 p. m.

Leave Tamaqua 1.49 p. m.,

Leave Williamsport weekdays 10.13 a m, 5.42 p m.

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Leave Rupert, weekdays, 7.08, 8.28, 9.18 11.40 a. m., 1.38 3.46 6.21.

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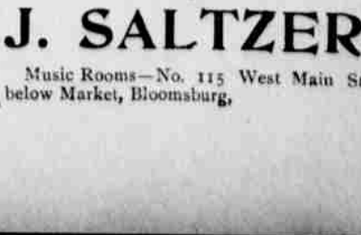

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THURSDAY, MAY 23, 1901.

TO THE DEMOCRATIC VOTERS OF COLUMBIA COUNTY.

Notice is hereby given that the Primary Election for the purpose of voting to place in nomination one person for Associate Judge, one person for county Surveyor and five delegates to the state convention, will be held at the regular polling places in the various election districts of Columbia county, (or if such places cannot be obtained then at a place in said district convenient to the regular polling place, which shall be determined by the member of the Standing Committee and the election boards of such districts where the regular polling places cannot be obtained) on Saturday June 8th, 1901, between the hours of 3 and 7 o'clock p. m. and the County Convention will be held in the Opera House in Bloomsburg Tuesday June 11th, 1901, at 11 o'clock a. m. this call is issued in accordance with Art. III, Sec. 10 of The Democratic Rules, of Columbia County.

CHRISTIAN A. SMALL,
County Chairman.
J. K. BITTENBENDER,
R. G. F. KSHINKA, Secretaries.
Catawissa, Pa., May 7th, 1901.

Mrs. McKinley was taken seriously ill in California, and for several days her death seemed imminent. The whole country rejoiced to learn she is improving, and that the danger is past.

Among the bills introduced in the House, at Harrisburg, last week, was one providing that there shall be submitted to the voters of every city, ward of a city, incorporated borough, or ward of a borough and township, on the third Tuesday of February of next year, and on the same day of the month every two years thereafter, after the passage of the bill, the question, "Shall the retail traffic in intoxicating liquors as a beverage be prohibited."

A bill is before the legislature to fix the salaries of county superintendents of schools, and has already passed the Senate, as follows: $10 each for the first 100 schools within his jurisdiction, $5 for each school above 100 and not over 200, and $2 for each school above 200, provided that the salary in no case be less than $1,000 per annum nor more than $2,000, and provided further that in all counties having 12,000 square miles or a school term exceeding seven and a half months the salary of the superintendent shall not be less than $1,500 and that a convention of the school directors may vote him an increase in salary, which shall be taken from the school appropriation of the county.

Much attention is being given in the country districts to a new law intended for the preservation of roads. It provides that every person who shall make affidavit that he has owned and used exclusively, during the preceding year, in hauling loads of 2000 pounds or more, on the public roads of the State, wagons with tires not less that four inches wide shall for each year after the passage of the act be credited by the supervisor of highways of the district in which such tax is levied with one-fourth of the road tax assessed and levied on the property of such person. Tenants who in any way become liable for road taxes may also secure the benefits of this act by making the required affidavit. Such credits shall not exeeed to any person more than five days' labor on the highways or its equivalent in cash. The same law also provides that any person who shall use on the public roads of the State, in hauling loads of 10,000 pounds or more, any wagon with tires less than four inches in width shall be liable to a fine of $5 for each and every offense, which fines shall be recoverable in criminal proceedings instituted at the complaint of any person at the suit of the Commonwealth before any justice of the peace. The careful and conscientious application of this law would doubtless result in much benefit to the highways. But it will be of little account in some districts where road making is a farce, and the people know so many ways to get out of their road tax so cheaply that they will find the old methods less expensive than providing the broad tires.

The Government of the United States is Perpetual.

The fundmental principles of our Government are embodied in the Constitution of the United States. The Declaration of Independence was the cardinal point around which rallied all the forces opposed to tyrany and oppression. The American idea of government, though an experiment, has taken deep root in the hearts and minds of the people, not only of our own government, but of all the people of the world.

Eventually it will be copied by all the people of the world. It is true that many abuses have crept in all the forms of our government, through corrupt and designing men and factions, but these are only temporary. However, much we may despond and deprecate corruption and abuses in governmental affairs as detrimental to the masses and beneficial only to the classes, these will be righted in their proper order and time. Sometimes corruption and abuses outlive a generation of people, but the end is bound to come as naturally and certainly as "every dog has his day."

The masses of our American people are true as steel and patrotic to their government, and in no wise would sacrifice any principal that would invalidate, or weaken its authority. But through factional strife and division of opinion among the patrotic masses, scheming men and corrupt rascals have opportunity of pilfering and plundering the people's treasury.

It is true that these abuses of profligacy pervade every department and function of our government from the highest to the lowest official. But notwithstanding these facts it is still the best government on the earth, and ours is the only one in which the hope lives, and the remedy exists through which all these wrongs may be righted and all the abuses reformed by the simple process of ballot laws.

Though corruption grasps with deathly grip at every move of reform, for which the people are battling, yet victory will perch on their banner, sooner or later, in spite of all their scheming and planning and buying. It has always been thus and will ever remain so, justice always triumphs in the end. J.

License Transfer Bill Passes.

An act of particular interest to hotel and saloonkeepers of the city of Philadelphia was passed finally by the House on Thursday by a vote of 135 to 9. The bill was introduced March 25 by Senator Snyder.

The act provides that Judges of the court may transfer license from one ward to another. Heretofore transfer of license was confined to the particular ward or borough wherein the license was granted for. The act, which has been passed finally by the Senate and now awaits the Governor's signature, further provides that in cases where the application is made to transfer from one place to another the application shall be advertised, as provided by existing laws governing original applications for license, and that residents of the ward, borough or township shall have the same right to remonstrate agaidst such transfer as against applications for original license.

An exchange says that the first thing a woman does when she retires for the night is to look under the bed, and the first thing in the morning is to look into the mirror. The first thing a man does when he goes to bed is to hide his pocket book, and in the morning is to get hold of it again.

TOWN COUNCIL.

The regular meeting of council was held Thursday evening. In the absence of President Frank Ikeler Vice President Fred Hartman occupied the chair. All the members were present. The business transacted was not of any special import.

Town Solicitor Fred Ikeler was present and notified Council that the entire amount due from former County Treasurer George S. Fleckenstine has been paid.

In regard to the additional apparatus, recommended to be purchased for the fire department by Chief S. H. Harman, Mr. Ikeler stated that it could not be done without first submitting it to a vote at a special election.

The Town Solicitor was instructed to see that the ordinance granting the right of way to the Electric Railway Company is framed so as not to interfere with the location of the proposed soldier's monument on south side of Market square.

The first and fifteenth days of the month were designated for the issuing of orders in payment of work on highways. No orders to be issued for said purpose on any other days.

Chairman of Committee on Highways, Mr. Kashner, reported that deed for East Third street had been conveyed to the town by the Land Improvement Company seven years ago, and that considerable work had been performed on the street and paid for by the town. It was moved and seconded that said street, as far as Locust street, be accepted. Carried

A. W. Duy appeared as attorney for the Electric Light Company and stated that the contract with said company expires next month. He stated that six lights had been added and asked that contract be renewed for five years at same rate as former contract. He also asked that as a condition of this contract that the poles be exempted from taxation. Referred to the committee on light to report at special meeting. Report of lights read for January, February and March. Lights out in three months, about 200. On motion, duly seconded, the amount of $4.63 was directed to be deducted from the Electric Light Company's bill. Carried.

Building permits were granted to G. W. Sterner to repair house on Ridge Alley and to Dr. Bierman for an addition to his present fesidence on Fourth street.

Petition of citizens read asking to become responsible for twelve rifles and one sword to be used at military funerals and other military affairs. On motion, duly seconded, the matter was referred to Secretary to ascertain proper person to write to under seal of Council for same. Carried.

Petition of citizens read asking for water plug at Third and Barton streets. Referred to Committee on Fire and Water.

Matter of the Market street arch referred to the street committee to consult with the Town Engineer, ask for bids, and report at special or regular meeting.

Crossing at Centre street and Sterner Alley reported in bad condition. Referred to Commissioner of Highways with power to act.

Mention was made by Street Commissioner Neyhard of the many defective pavements in town. Owners are to be notified to repair same within twenty days, or the work will be done by the town, with twenty per cent. added to the cost.

Coping of arch bridge on Espy road reported in bad condition. Referred to street committee with power to act.

On motion, duly seconded, the following gutters were ordered to be piped: Fourth and Iron streets, Third and Railroad streets.

Mr. Kashner reports gutter in front of Rescue Hose Company's building in bad condition. Referred to street commissioner with power to act.

On motion, duly seconded, Rescue Hose Company be allowed to use brick necessary to repair pavement in front of building. Carried.

Street and gutter, near Weiss' green house, reported in bad condition and Council requested to notify Land Improvement Company to repair same. Referred to street committee, and if within province of Council, to confer with said Company and report at next meeting.

Mr. Bittenbender states that he has been making more than an ordinary effort to collect taxes from delinquents on his unpaid duplicates. He has now given ten days notice and at the expiration of that time will levy and sell.

On motion, duly seconded, crossing to be placed across East street at Sixth, from Giger's hotel to car shops, Street commissioner to purchase stone for same.

Orders were drawn for bills presented, after which Council adjourned.

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Plain or fancy weaves. Best we could find of this season's producing, and so modestly priced that they are bound to impress you, if you'll kindly investigate.

38 in. black coarse Serge, sponged, 50c.
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Warm weather will soon be here. You will want a comfortable rocker to sit out and get the fresh air. We have them and they won't cost you much. Price, $1.29.

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BLOOMSBURG, PA.

THURSDAY, MAY 23, 1901

Entered at the Post Office at Bloomsburg, Pa. a second class matter, March 1, 1888.

PICTURESQUE BLOOMSBURG.

The sale of the Souvenir book of Bloomsburg was stopped a few weeks ago to enable us to add a dozen more pictures. It now contains nearly a hundred views, including public buildings, churches, schools, residences, public blocks, street scenes and many other views. It is printed on a heavy plate paper and handsomely bound in two styles; silk cover with stiff boards at $1.00; and with paste board covers at 75 cents. The photographs were all taken by home artists, most of them by amateurs, but the work is well done, and the pictures are excellent. All the printing was done in this office, and we do not hesitate to say that it is as handsome a book as any city office can produce. Call at the COLUMBIAN office and see it, or send word and it will be delivered at your house. Mail orders must be accompanied with 10 cents extra for postage. All orders must be accompanied with the cash. 2t

Legal advertisements on page 7.

See the "Cook's Revenge" at the Parish House to-night.

Lamps from 25 cents to $13.00 at Mercer's Drug & Book Store.

Lewisburg is going to have a monster Fourth of July celebration.

Gold pens and pencils for either lady or gent at Mercer's Drug & Book Store.

Hope Furman of East street is able to be out again after a two week's illness.

If you want drugs or patent medicines of any kind go to Mercer's Drug & Book Store.

Normal cancelled its game of ball with Wyoming Seminary Saturday afternoon on account of rain.

The Paul E. Wirt fountain pen either plain or gold mounted at Mercer's Drug & Book Store.

About fifty members of the Bloomsburg Fire Department attended the Episcopal church in a body on Sunday evening.

Town lots for sale, on easy terms. Bloomsburg Land Improvement Co. Inquire of Sanderson Woods, sales agent. N. U. Funk, Sec'y. Office, Ent Building. (4 25

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Reels from 75c. to $2.00.
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Window curtains 12½, 25, 30, 45 and 50 cents each at Mercer's Drug & Book Store.

Bloomsburg Water Stock wanted for cash. Apply Lock Box A. 2t. Bloomsburg, Pa.

Samuel Carbaugh, the Iron Street barber, has added to the beauty of his shop by having the interior papered.

Bibles large and small and the stock open for comparison at Mercer's Drug & Book Store.

An unoccupied dwelling house in Center township, owned by the D. J. Faux estate was destroyed by fire early Friday morning.

Prospective travelers over the Reading Railway should consult the schedule elsewhere in this paper. Some changes have been made.

Two patients escaped from the Danville Hospital Sunday night and from last reports have not been captured. The authorities are in pursuit.

Paul E. Wirt is placing all the requisite machinery in his factory at the foot of Iron Street, for the manufacture of his newly invented suspender clasp.

House cleaning time is upon us and you no doubt will want to paper a bed room, or some other room. Do not forget to see Mercer's line before you buy.

E. B. Tustin has purchased the C. M. Drinker property on Third Street, which gives him the full Third Street front of his recent purchase on Market Street.

At Weaver's horse sale, at Milton, on Tuesday, John S. Williams, auctioneer, sold twenty-three horses in an hour and twenty-three minutes, at an average price of $164.50.

The remains of John Vanderslice, who died in a private institution for the insane at Scranton Saturday were interred in the cemeteryat Berwick Monday. He was a son of Joseph R. Vanderslice, deceased.

The Wheelmen have organized a base ball team and will meet the Juniors at Athletic Park on Decoration Day. The nine includes: E. F. Caldwell, Fred Ikeler, Charles Heist, and several other old time favorites.

A recital will be given on Saturday evening May 25 in the Lutheran Church, Bloomsburg, by members of Miss Delia Geisinger's music class. A silver offering will be taken at the door. Proceeds for benefit of Church.

Mrs. Clarence Hower, who was operated on recently at the Sunbury Hospital, and had one of her limbs amputated above the knee, is getting along very nicely, but it will be several weeks before she will be able to be brought home.

The Prohibition Convention will be held in Evans' Hall on Tuesday of next week. State Chairman Jones, of Philadelphia, and the famous Daily Quartette will be in attendance.

W. J. BIDLEMAN, Sec'y.

Rev. D. N. Kirkby, Col. J. G. Freeze, Paul E. Wirt and A. W. Duy went to Pottsville on Tuesday to attend the Diocesan Convention of the Episcopal church of Central Pennsylvania A. Z. Schoch and J. R. Townsend, the other two deputies, were unable to attend.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY. Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure E. W. Grove's signature is on each box. 25c.

Wall paper from 4c to 40c a roll at Mercer's Drug & Book Store.

Tonight at the Parish House, Lubier's marvel, the Biograph, exhibiting for the first time in Bloomsburg Queen Victoria's Funeral Procession, President McKinley and escort in the Inaugural Parade, and Cinderella and the Glass Slipper. Also illustrated songs. Admission 25 cents.

The body of Wellington Hartman, who was killed in a collision, says the Danville *News*, was exhumed on Thursday for the purpose of performing an autopsy, the object being to determine the exact cause of death, whether it was due directly to the injuries sustained or not. The *News* did not give, nor have we heard the result.

The concert at the Normal School last Saturday evening, was one of the best ever given in this town. Miss Jackson, violin virtuoso, handles the instrument with wonderful ease, and produces from it tones of rare sweetness. Miss Elburna, soprano, and Mr. Pratt, pianist, are also artists of high grade. The receipts of the concert were $145.00. Dr. Welsh is entitled to the thanks of the public for having secured so excellent an entertainment.

H. J. Clark & Son's large show window, which is always tastefully arranged has been beautified by the addition of three large mirrors in gilt frames, one at each side and one at the back. Another recent addition to the store is a large Edison phonograph. It has two brass trumpets and a handsome oak record cabinet, and many excellent records. It is one of the latest improved style and produces very pretty music.

Mrs. Catharine Zuppinger succumbed to a complication of diseases concomitant with advanced years at the home of Frank L. Faust, late Wednesday night of last week. For years she had been in a very feeble condition, and her death was momentarily expected. The deceased was nearly eighty-five years old. The funeral took place Friday. Services were conducted by Rev. J. D. Thomas, of the Reformed church. The remains were taken to Mifflinville for burial.

Daniel Edwards died at his home in Kingston, of heart disease Monday morning. He was president of the Kingston Coal Company, and was perhaps one of the wealthiest individual coal operators in the anthracite region. His belougings are estimated at four million dollars. He was born in Wales, and immigrated to America while young. For many years he was an employee of Waterman & Beaver in the old ore mines at Danville. This vast accumulation of wealth, is the result of natural ability and pluck. He was 76 years old.

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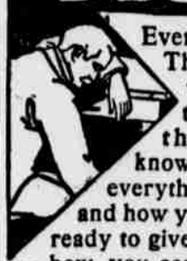

Ever have them? Then we can't tell you anything about them. You know how dark everything looks and how you are about ready to give up. Somehow, you can't throw off the terrible depression.

Are things really so blue? Isn't it your nerves, after all? That's where the trouble is. Your nerves are being poisoned from the impurities in your blood.

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PURELY PERSONAL

Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Williams of Scranton, spent Sunday in town.

William Oman, of Light Street, was in town on Tuesday.

D. J. Poust, of Orange, was a recent welcome caller at this office.

William H Magill and wife drove to Danville Sunday evening.

Mrs. E. B. Tustin spent Saturday with Mrs. W. C. Davis in Danville.

Mr. and Mrs. William Mellick of Wilkes-Barre, spent Monday in town.

E. F McCabe attended a convention of electrical engineers in Buffalo this week.

Jacob L. Girton started for Polo, Illinois, on Wednesday to visit his brother-in-law, Harman Unger.

W. B. Wilson, of Bendertown, was among our early callers on Tuesday. He and his son came down to take in the great Wallace Show.

A. C. Achenbach, of Orangeville, was a Tuesday visitor to town. He has been sick for several weeks and we are glad to know that he is improving.

Miss Cora Hess and Miss Bertha McHenry, two of Stillwater's young ladies were among the many who came down on the B. & S. Tuesday to witness the Show.

Harry Hardy, Press Agent of the Great Wallace Show gave our office a call Tuesday morning. He is a hustler in his line and thoroughly understands his business.

C. W. Funston went to Buffalo on Tuesday to arrange the exhibit of the Wirt Fountain Pen at the Exposition. Arthur Fortune will have charge of the exhibit.

H J. Clark has been in Philadelphia for the past two months undergoing treatment for his health. We are glad to learn that he is improving. He returned home on Tuesday.

Miss Jennie Utt is going to Buffalo tomorrow to visit the Exposition. She will go with a party from Rohrsburg consisting of Dr. and Mrs. Mather, Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Appleman, and William Utt.

Dr. Purman returned from New York on Thursday. An affection of the heart necessitated the journey. He was operated on at one of the city's leading institutions, and returned with the discomfort greatly alleviated.

Games from 5 cents to $1.00 at Mercer's Drug & Book Store.

William Krickbaum resumed his duties as County Commissioner on Saturday.

J. J. Brower, Esq., is rebuilding the front porch of his Market Street residence.

It is reported that Ringling Bros'. Circus will exhibit in Bloomsburg next month.

Window curtains, both plain and lace, with fringe to match, at Mercer's Drug & Book Store.

Monday was a great day for Bloomsburg. Bank stock took a sudden upward jump, and four new automobiles arrived in town.

The Christian Endeavor Society of the Presbyterian Church will give an interesting entertainment to-morrow (Friday) evening, beginning at eight o'clock. Admission 15 cents.

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Never before have we placed before you for your selection and approval as large and choice a line of Wash Dress Materials, nor at as low prices for same qualities. The printings are of the finest, the designs the choicest, the qualities fine, the prices the lowest. See the LEVANTINES. You can hardly tell them from Foulard Silks.

WOOL DRESS GOODS.

We offer you some most excellent values in these Dress Goods.

45 in. Wool Homespun, 34c a yard.
34 in. Black Mohair, 90c a yard.
42 in. Black Mohair, 50c a yard.
38 in. Crepe Albatros, 50c a yard.

PARASOLS, FANS.

Big lines of these. Newest effects, choice patterns and moderate prices. Parasols for ladies and children. Fans for everybody, silk to palm.

LACES, EMBROIDERIES.

If you have a need for these, for any purpose, come to this stock. Large and complete with all the wanted kinds, in black, white, Ecru and Arabian colors. Big lines of all-overs, edges and insertions.

MILLINERY.

We offer this week some extra good values in ladies' and children's fine TRIMMED HATS, in the very latest styles and shapes. Copies of the latest Parisian styles. You should not miss them. Children's Hats. A big line of these popular hats at less prices than usual.

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Stole the Body of a Murderer.

Grave of Ralph J. White, in Green Valley Cemetery Robbed.

The body of Ralph J. White, the murderer, has been stolen from the Sweet Valley Cemetery in Luzerne county, and the feud which arse over the placing it there has been revived. Friends and relatives of White are searching the woods and through the hills for the body snatchers and they say they mean to shoot them when they find their men. So far the search has been unsuccessful and there is no trace of either the coffin, the body or the ghouls who stole it. The corpse was carried away in a wagon after the coffin had been taken from the rough box.

The burying of White created a great furor and several fights. He murdered his nephew and so badly wounded another that his injury made him a raving maniac and he has been in an asylum for some time. White was convicted and committed suicide in the jail at Wilkesbarre while awaiting sentence.

When his sister wanted to place him in the family plot at Sweet Valley beside his wife and children the trustees and others who had relatives buried in the cemetery objected and went so far as to repulse and eject the funeral party by force and filled up the newly made grave. For nine days the people on either side fought for possession of the grave, but the opposition was the strongest and finally the Whites appealed to the court.

The trustees were ordered to allow the burial, but so strong was the feeling against it and so great the fear of an outbreak that deputy sheriffs had to remain on guard about the grave on the day of the funeral and armed men had to guard the spot at night for some weeks. Finally, when it was believed all objection had been overcome the guards were taken away. Then the ghouls got the chance they sought.

LATER.

The authorities of Sweet Valley have refused to allow the White faction to haul the discovered coffin and body of Ralph J. White from the bottom of Grassey Pond to the surface and this action has still further aroused the friends and relatives of the dead man.

The authorities have given the order because they fear an attempt of the Whites to replace the body in its grave in the Sweet Valley Cemetery will cause a fight with those who are opposed to it resting at there, and in the present excited condition of the factions this might end in a fatal quarrel.

The Whites have sent for grappling irons and declare they will get the body whether the authorities are willing or not, and will bury it at the point of rifles if necessary in the grave from which it was stolen. The other side is equally determined and trouble is feared.

STILL LATER.

On Tuesday the body was taken from the pond and buried without bloodshed. A thousand people were present, and some had guns.

The Country School.

A Bill that Aims to Greatly Increase Influence.

Governor Stone signed the bill providing for the centralization of township schools, and to provide high schools for townships, which is one of the most important pieces of good legislation enacted since the common school law of 1854. The bill aims to bring all the pupils in a township within the influence of better paid teachers, to do away with the remote country schoolhouse, and the elevation of the teacher's profession and the general advancement of the public schools of the State.

The bill requires a petition signed by at least a majority of the qualified voters in the township. These signers must own or represent property amounting to at least one fourth of the assessed valuation of the township. It must then be submitted to a vote of the people. It must be voted on at a regular election, when township officers are elected thus avoiding any extra expense. It repeals no laws and does not interfere with the plans of districts where centralization may not be adopted.

The bill also provides for conveying of pupils from their homes to one or more central schools. It has the recommendation of the county superintendents and the State school directors' association.

The following letters are held at the Bloomsburg, Pa., postoffice, and will be sent to the dead letter office June 4, 1901. Persons calling for these letters will please say "that they were advertised May 21, 1901":

Thos. Hyland (3), Miss Mahala Kelly, Mrs. Geraldine Kellar.

One cent will be charged on each letter advertised.

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CONDENSED DISPATCHES.

Notable Events of the Week Briefly and Tersely Told.

A large steel concern was incorporated at Trenton.

Severe floods were reported in the Texas panhandle.

Chicago was selected as the place for the Olympian games of 1904.

Russian spies are said to have mapped the harbor of Nagasaki, Japan.

Arapahoe Indians in Wyoming threaten outbreak, and troops are asked for.

Ex-Congressman Glover of St. Louis was reported killed in a Colorado flood.

Nine hundred emigrants left Porto Rico for Hawaii, with 400 more to follow.

Rev. Dr. Ernest M. Stires of Chicago accepted a call to St. Thomas' church, New York city.

The Cambridgeport National bank, Cambridge, Mass., was dynamited, probably for robbery.

New York Central stockholders met at Albany. Acquisition of coal carrying branches was reported.

Tuesday, May 21.

Many were wounded in St. Petersburg strike riots.

The funeral of Mrs. Lyman J. Gage was held in Washington.

The Cuban convention was estimated to stand 17 to 11 for the Platt amendment.

The total annual expenditures of the Austro-Hungarian monarchy are about $71,500,000.

The total British losses in South Africa are reported at 14,978 dead and 17,209 wounded.

The last Italian census shows the population to be 32,449,754, an increase of 4,000,000 since 1881.

Superintendent Mills of West Point was ordered to Washington in connection with the troubles at the Military academy.

The ship Savona arrived at Montevideo with the dead bodies of the captain and four of the crew, who had been killed by being struck by a huge wave which washed over the vessel.

Monday, May 20.

Extensive damage by floods was reported from northern Texas.

The strikes of agricultural laborers in Andalusia, Spain, are assuming alarming proportions.

The last Italian census shows the population to be 32,449,754, an increase of 4,000,000 since 1881.

The anniversary of the commune was celebrated by the revolutionary groups in Paris. Several arrests were made.

At Seattle, Wash., the torpedo boat destroyer Goldsboro broke her starboard engine eccentric rod during a trial run, necessitating the vessel's return to her dock.

Saturday, May 18.

Severe earthquake shocks were felt in Ohio and West Virginia.

Edwin F. Uhl, ex-embassador to Germany, died at Grand Rapids.

The governor of Wisconsin signed the bill putting an export tax on ice.

Kansas City's music festival was so successful that it may become an annual event.

John L. Semple, a prominent Camden attorney, was arrested, charged with counterfeiting.

General Mascardo, the Filipino chief, with 328 men, surrendered to Captain O'Neil of the Twenty-fifth infantry.

Friday, May 17.

Judge John F. Gibbons of Illinois was reported dying at Denver.

The governor of Wisconsin vetoed the compulsory vaccination bill.

Four carloads of cots and mattresses from New York have reached Jacksonville, Fla.

Preparations were said to be complete for the dedication of the Buffalo exposition Monday.

Jacquelin, the French cyclist, defeated Taylor, the American, in a championship match at Paris.

King Edward has decided that his birthday should be celebrated on the same date as that of Queen Victoria.

Thursday, May 16.

The German reichstag was prorogued until November.

A bitter Irish debate took place in the house of commons.

St. Louis saloons were ordered closed between 1 and 5 a. m.

The village of Accerenza, Italy, has been swept by an avalanche.

Legal means have been taken to close the Pan-American fair on Sundays.

Four hundred custom shoemakers in New York struck for higher wages.

Ireland's Population Decrines.

LONDON, May 21.—In the house of commons Mr. George Wyndham, chief secretary for Ireland, stated that the census returns for Ireland showed a population of 4,456,546, a decrease of 5.3 per cent since the previous census.

Remote Possibility.

"You have never had a wife, I presume," said the generous matron who had taken pity on him to the extent of supplying him with some cast-off clothing and a plate of victuals.

"No, ma'am," answered Goodman Gonzong, "an' I don't reckon I ever will have, onless I run across some woman who wants to make the experiment of marryin' a man to reform him. An' that ain't likely to happen," with his mouth full of baked beans, "'cause she'd hev to be young an' harnsome."—Chicago Tribune.

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MACHINISTS GAINING

President O'Connell Predicts an Early Settlement.

MORE FIRMS GRANT NINE HOUR DAY

Some Shops Refuse to Yield to Demands of Strikers—Locomotive Works at Dunkirk Shut Down Indefinitely.

WASHINGTON, May 22.—President O'Connell states that the advices received at headquarters here indicate that an early settlement of the trouble between the machinists and employers will be effected. Information at hand shows that during yesterday over 120 firms had settled by granting the nine hour day.

Mr. O'Connell said that so far as he knew about 6,000 men are out in San Francisco and about 3,000 in Cincinnati. In Chicago nearly all the important shops have settled with the men. The reports from the south, he said, show that all through that section settlements are being effected.

Half the firms in Philadelphia, he said, have come to terms, and the others are expected to follow suit. There has been no news of a clash anywhere.

None of the government yards can be affected by the strike, as an eight hour day prevails in all government work. Word has reached the department that government employees are contributing funds in support of the strike movement, but no attention will be paid to this matter.

Locomotive Works Shut Down.

DUNKIRK, N. Y., May 22.—Because 700 machinists employed at the Brooks Locomotive works struck for a nine hour day and 12½ per cent increase in pay President Frederick H. Stevens directed Superintendent McNaughton to issue an order closing the works until further notice. This throws 2,600 men out of work. The Brooks company is one of the firms included in the American Locomotive company, and it is impossible to say how long the lockout will last. The locomotive works is the principal industry of the town, and its closing will be a serious blow to business men.

Cincinnati Strikers Winning.

CINCINNATI, May 22.—The strike situation here remains favorable to the strikers, six more firms having signed agreements with the union, and consequently about 100 more men will go to work at once. The drill hands and laborers and others in these shops who struck with the machinists will also return. This makes in all 20 shops that have signed the agreement, and it is said that a number of others are negotiating to the same end. There are still about 2,500 machinists out.

Crowley Gets Four Years.

SAN JUAN, Porto Rico, May 22.—The trial of Harold Crowley of Lockport, N. Y., son of ex-Congressman Crowley and a former employee of the postal department, on a charge of misappropriating postal funds was concluded at Ponce Saturday night after lasting two days. He was sentenced to four years' hard labor. It is probable that an appeal will be taken to the supreme court. At the time of his arrest last March it was alleged that Crowley had appropriated $377 of postal funds registered in Ponce and en route from Yauco to San Juan. The package was missed March 25, and Crowley intended to sail from San Juan March 27. He had previously borne an excellent reputation.

A Miracle In Brooklyn.

NEW YORK, May 20.—After being a cripple all his life Maurice Lavery, 13 years old, is said to have been cured at the shrine of Our Lady of Lourdes, at Broadway and Aberdeen street, Brooklyn. The boy had visited the shrine twice a month for a half year, and after being sprinkled with holy water in the presence of 2,000 people he is said to have walked to the parish house without assistance and without using his crutches, the first time in his life he ever walked without their aid.

Mrs. Bonine Held.

WASHINGTON, May 22.—The coroner's inquest into the death of James Seymour Ayers, the young census office clerk who was shot and killed in the Hotel Kenmore last Tuesday night, ended at 1:05 o'clock yesterday afternoon, when the jury brought in a verdict holding Mrs. Lola Ida Henry Bonine for the action of the grand jury. The jury says the fatal shot was fired in a struggle between Ayers and Mrs. Bonine.

The Total Eclipse.

BOSTON, May 20.—President Pritchett of the Massachusetts Institute of Technology has received a cable message from Professor Burton, in charge of the technology eclipse party, announcing that important results had been obtained. The weather was cloudy during a portion of the eclipse, but all four contacts were observed, and a brilliant corona was shown at totality which lasted nearly six minutes. Photographs of the corona were obtained.

Wireless Telegraphy For a Train.

LONDON, May 17.—Signor Marconi announces that he has successfully installed his system of wireless telegraphy in a steam motor car and that he is able thereby to communicate with a base while traveling. The war office officials are about to witness a demonstration of the claim.

Ohio Party In Salt Lake.

SALT LAKE CITY, May 22.—Governor Nash of Ohio and party of 75, returning from the launching of the battleship Ohio, were in Salt Lake City yesterday. They were handsomely entertained by the Mormon high church officers and left for Denver.

Fatal Flood Near Havana.

HAVANA, May 22.—Two persons were drowned and many families rendered homeless by a flood at Puentes Grandes, near Havana. Captain of the Port Young hauled boats overland and rescued many.

Cullinan to Succeed Lyman.

ALBANY, May 22.—Governor Odell has appointed P. W. Cullinan of Oswego as state excise commissioner to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Henry H. Lyman of Oswego.

Spanish Election Returns.

MADRID, May 22.—Complete returns in the election of the new chamber of deputies show 260 ministerialists and 146 members of the opposition.

THE CROWD CHEERED.

Because a Bright Little Woman with an Umbrella Put a Cheeky Masher to Flight.

He stood for two hours one afternoon last week, says the Chicago Chronicle, ogling the women who passed the corner of State street and Jackson boulevard in busy throngs. He was not handsome, neither was his figure one that would gain him many points in a beauty show. Indeed, from his rotund person and the manner in which he occupied the sidewalk one naturally would suppose his place might more appropriately be at the live stock show.

One little woman, pretty, well gloved and booted and with a bewitching

THE CAD HOWLED FOR PAIN.

toque hat set jauntily on her head, passed the porcine individual several times. She evidently was hunting up a particular shade of ribbon or on the search for a peculiar style of lace, for her brow was puckered and she seemed perturbed.

Because she passed and repassed several times the masher thought it was due to his own charms. On her third trip past the corner the cad raised his hat. The little woman flushed indignantly and there was a dangerous sparkle in her eye, but she continued on her way. The masher looked after her, but decided to await her return. He took up even a more prominent place on the sidewalk.

When the little woman had come out of one of the big department stores and prepared to sail past the masher she evidently had mapped out a campaign of action. She unfurled her umbrella and raised it, although the rain was falling but lightly. There was a gleam of revenge in her eye as she sallied out, but the cad on the corner, when he saw her coming, smiled complacently to himself.

When just opposite the rotund masher the little woman lowered her umbrella, ostensibly to withstand a sudden blast. The steel rod of the parasol was pointing directly at the masher's third waistcoat button and when she charger home the cad howled for very pain. When, with seeming surprise, the little woman lowered her umbrella it was to see the fleeing form of her tormentor, and as he fled the laughs and jeers of the crowd followed him.

BRIDE KILLS HERSELF.

Drinks a Toast in Poison While Surrounded by a Company of Laughing Guests.

"Drink to my twenty-second birthday. I'll never see another," cried beautiful Lillian Schilling the other night to a score of merry friends whom Mrs. Henry Harris, 193 Scholes street, Brooklyn, whom she was visiting, had invited to surprise her.

With shouts of merriment and laughter at her prophecy the toast

"DRINK TO MY BIRTHDAY."

was drunk and Mr. Harris, the host, laughingly gave the young woman 22 blows on the back in token of the day.

As the guests applauded the one in whose honor they were gathered sank back in a chair.

"I'll never see another," she moaned again. Her face turned livid and she fell to the floor.

"I've killed myself," she gasped as the wondering guests gathered about her. "I'll never see another birthday. I killed myself because all my happiness was gone."

They noticed then that her glass had fallen to the floor. The yellow liquid it had contained already was discoloring the carpet. The toast she had proposed she had drunk in carbolic acid.

An ambulance hurried her to St. Catherine's hospital, but just as she was put on a cot she died.

She was a bride of only a few months. Several weeks ago she quarreled with her husband and went to live with her friend, Mrs. Harris.

On the Planet Uranus.

A distinguished astronomer asserts that on the planet Uranus the sun rises in the west and sets in the east.

Situation In Jacksonville.

JACKSONVILLE, Fla., May 21.—The city so far as peace and order is concerned is gradually getting back to the normal, but the demands on the relief association show no material abatement. About 3,300 rations have been issued by the commissary department during each of the past two days. It is expected that there will be some reduction within the next few days. The saloons are no longer guarded, and the number of militia in the city is greatly reduced. The relief association has decided to hold one instead of two meetings daily hereafter.

The Kearsarge's Big Gun Replaced.

NEW YORK, May 21.—Yesterday witnessed the successful accomplishment at the Brooklyn navy yard under the direction of Naval Constructor Capps after five weeks' work and an expenditure of $6,000 of the removal of the damaged 13 inch gun from the lower section of the double turret of the battleship Kearsarge and the installation of a new one in its place. There still remains the work of replacing a portion of the side of the turret which had been removed. The new gun was forced into place through the narrow opening, and the work was pronounced a success.

German Shipyards to Be Enlarged.

BERLIN, May 22.—The government shipyards at Wilhelmshaven, according to the Berliner Post, will be enlarged to enable the construction of warships of 12,000 tons. The work will require a year.

Chile's President Again Stricken.

SANTIAGO, Chile, May 22.—President Errazuriz has had another severe attack of paralysis. His case is considered to be very serious.

Foiled.

"I often wonder what's the best thing to do for the grip," remarked the stingy man, who was trying to get some advice gratis.

"Go out without your overcoat," replied the doctor.—Philadelphia Press.

When a boy turns his bulging pocket inside out we marvel at the quantity and variety of articles he has stowed away. Odd lengths of string, marbles, a horse-chestnut, a top, brass nails, hickory nuts, an apple, and many more articles are garnered by this "snapper of unconsidered trifles. We think the collection must be hard on a boy's pocket, and it is. But do we ever think of the variety and miscellany of the substances we put into the pocket of our stomach? There's the apple and the nuts, and things besides quite as indigestible as brass nails and with no more food value than so many marbles. And yet we wonder that the stomach "gives out." When the stomach breaks down under the strain of careless eating and irregular meals it can be perfectly and permanently restored to health and strength by the use of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. The action of this medicine on the stomach and other organs of digestion and nutrition is so marked, that relief from disease is at once experienced, and the headaches, liver "troubles," kidney disorders, skin eruptions and other symptoms of a diseased stomach are quickly cured. Whenever the use of a laxative medicine is indicated, use Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets. They act in harmony with the "Discovery" and assist its action by purging the bowels of foul accumulations.

The June "New" Lippincott.

Maxwell Gray—who wrote "The Silence of Dean Maitland"—is the author of the complete novel entitled "Four-Leaved Clover" in the June "New" Lippincott Magazine. This is a story of English country life.

The name of Cy Warman generally presages something to do with railroads. "Oppressing the Oppressor" confirms this impression, for it is a story of a political railroad deal, which may recall real episodes in the reader's experience. The author himself says that "the remarkable part of the story is the fact that the building of a sidetrack in an open plain turned out to be good business."

"Her Maiden Name," by "Suzette" [Caroline Lockart], must appeal to many persons at this season of crowded ocean travel, when unsuspecting girls are likely to meet such men as "Horace Sylvester Monteith," coming to America "to make large investments in land"—or for other reasons.

Clarence L. Cullen contributes a humorous skit called "An Enemy to the Throne." It is about a French Minister of Finance.

"Rah, Rah, Rah, Murray! A Story of Princeton Campus," is by Burton Egbert Stevenson, author of "At Odds with the Regent." This is undoubtedly one of the best in the series of College Tales now running through the "New" Lippincott, and does honor to the Orange and Black.

"A Great Midsummer Fair," by Francis J. Ziegler, is a brief, breezy description of the great fair that is held each summer at Nijni Novgorod, Russia. In view of our rapidly growing foreign American trade this is an article of great value.

Professor Lewis M. Haupt, member of the Isthmian Canal Commission, contributes an able paper on "Population and the Isthmian Canal." In it he says, taking into account the average decennial increase as calculated by Abraham Lincoln, "These figures show that our country may be as populous as Europe now is at some point between 1920 and 1930—say about 1925."

There are poems appropriate to the month of roses and up to the high standard of the "New" Lippincott.

The "Walnuts and Wine" Department is full of clever nuts to crack and overflows with everything but "Extra Dry."

WHERE WOMEN ARE SCARCE.—Moscow holds the record of large towns for having only fifty-six women to every one hundred men.

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Coughs, Colds, Grippe,
WHOOPING COUGH. ASTHMA.
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CONSUMPTION IS
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RAILROAD NOTES.

PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD.

REDUCED RATES TO SAN FRANCISCO, ACCOUNT EPWORTH LEAGUE CONVENTION.

On account of the Fifth International Convention of the Epworth League, to be held in San Francisco July 18 to 23, the Pennsylvania railroad Company will sell, July 4 to 12, from all stations on its line, excursion tickets to San Francisco at greatly reduced rates. For specific information regarding rates, routes, and conditions of tickets apply to ticket agents. 2t

REDUCED RATES TO CINCINNATI, ACCOUNT CONVENTION OF UNITED SOCIETIES OF CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR.

On account of the Convention of the United Societies of Christian Endeavor, to be held in Cincinnati July 6 to 10, the Pennsylvania Railroad Company will sell July 4 to 6, from all stations on its line, excursion tickets to Cincinnati at one fare for the round trip. These tickets will be good for return passage, leaving Cincinnati not earlier than July 8, and not later than July 14. For specific rates and full information, apply to ticket agents. 2t

G. A. R. ENCAMPMENT—REDUCED RATES TO GETTYSBURG.

For the benefit of those desiring to attend the Annual Encampment of the Grand Army of the Republic, Department of Pennsylvania, at Gettysburg, June 3 to 8, the Pennsylvania Railroad Company will sell excursion tickets to Gettysburg from all stations on its line in the State of Pennsylvania, on June 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5, good to return until June 10, inclusive, at rate of a single fare for the round trip. For specific rates, apply to local ticket agents. 2t

LOW RATE TOUR TO THE PACIFIC COAST.

The Pennsylvania Railroad Personally-Conducted Tour to San Francisco and the Pacific Coast, leaving New York, Philadelphia and Pittsburg by special train of Pullman sleeping, dining and observation cars, July 8, will not be confined to delegates to the Epworth League Convention, which will be held in San Francisco from July 18 to 21, but will be run for the benefit of all who desire to visit California and the Canadian Northwest during the summer season. Stops will be made at Denver, Colorado Springs, Salt Lake City, San Francisco, Monterey, Santa Barbara, Los Angeles, San Jose, Portland, Seattle, Banff Hot Springs, St. Paul, and other interesting points en route.

The round trip rate from all points on the Pennsylvania Railroad east of Pittsburg, $188.50, covers transportation, double Pullman berth, and meals in dining car; two persons in a berth, each, $168 50. Rates from Pittsburg, $5 00 less.

The tour will cover a period of 30 days.

Persons desiring, may return independently from San Francisco by various routes at proportionately low rates.

For further information apply to ticket agents, or address Geo. W. Boyd, Assistant General Passenger Agent, Philadelphia. [2t

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Orangeville Borough Ordinance—No. 18.

AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING AND EMPOWERING THE MONTOUR AND COLUMBIA TELEPHONE COMPANY, OR ITS SUCCESSORS, TO CONSTRUCT, MAINTAIN AND OPERATE, A TELEPHONE EXCHANGE AND SYSTEM OF TELEPHONE SERVICE IN THE BOROUGH OF ORANGEVILLE, AND TO ERECT THE NECESSARY POLES, WIRES AND CABLES, TO OPERATE THE SAME, UPON CERTAIN TERMS AND CONDITIONS.

Be it ordained and enacted by the Borough Council of the Borough of Orangeville, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by authority of the same:

Section 1. That the Montour and Columbia Telephone Company, or its successors, be, and it is hereby authorized and empowered to construct, maintain and operate, a telephone exchange and system of telephone service in the Borough of Orangeville, and for that purpose to erect and maintain the necessary poles, wires and cables, upon, over and through the several streets, avenues, lanes and alleys, of the said Borough of Orangeville, subject to the conditions and restrictions hereinafter contained, viz:

Section 2. That the said work shall be done under the supervision of the proper borough authorities, and under and subject to the several ordinances of the said borough, relating to the erection of poles and wires upon the streets, avenues, lanes and alleys, of the said borough.

Section 3. That no poles shall be erected upon any street or avenue of the said borough where a lane or alley shall be by the borough authorities decided to be available for the same purpose.

Section 4. That the said company, or its successors, shall so erect its poles and wires as not to interfere with the wires of the several corporations now having poles and wires upon and over the streets, avenues, lanes and alleys, of the said borough, for any purpose, and so as not to interfere with firemen in the extinguishment of fires.

Section 5. That the said poles shall not be erected so as to obstruct, impede, or interfere with the free flow and passage of water in, through, over, or upon any gutter, drain, sewer, culvert, or water course; nor so as to interfere with or obstruct the convenient use of the streets, avenues, lanes and alleys, of the said borough, nor so as to interfere with or damage private property, or of any corporation authorized to do business in said borough.

Section 6. That the said Company, or its successors, shall erect neat poles, reasonably straight, repair and make good all damage or injury to the streets, avenues, lanes and alleys of the said borough, and side-walks thereof, or shade trees thereupon, used by them for the purpose aforesaid.

Section 7. That the said Montour and Columbia Telephone Company shall pay the costs of printing and publication of this ordinance, and also pay the cost of printing and publishing ordinance No. 17; and that before permission shall be granted by the proper borough authorities to the said Company to erect any poles, or string any wires or cables, the said Telephone Company shall file a written acceptance of this ordinance and enter into a bond to the said borough in the penal sum of five hundred dollars ($500.00), conditioned upon the faithful performance of its terms and conditions.

Passed December 3rd, 1900.

C. B. WHITE,
President of the Borough Council.

ATTEST: CLINTON HERRING, Secretary.

Approved December 8d, 1900.

A. B HERRING,
Chief Burgess.

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CAME BACK TO LIFE.

Two Women Who Were About to Be Placed in Their Coffins.

One Lived in New York, the Other in Indiana—Consciousness Returned to Both While They Were Clothed in Burial Robes.

Miss Louise Schaefer, of 140 East One Hundred and Twelfth street, New York, was to all appearances dead. The crape was ordered for the door. Friends and relatives had been notified. Father and sister were making plans for the funeral.

In an adjoining room Frank Faber, an undertaker's assistant, was preparing the body for burial. He took up the limp arms to fold them on the breast, but dropped them in amazement.

He was sure he felt a tremor run through the body. As he stood there astonished Miss Schaefer sat up in bed. Her eyes opened.

"What do you mean?" she gasped, and then sank back into a coma, seemingly as dead as before.

The startled Faber rushed from the house and returned with Dr. U. S. Ward, of 1808 Lexington Avenue. Hearing that Miss Schaefer had revived once from the coma, Dr. Ward resorted to heroic measures to restore heart action.

After a free use of nitroglycerin and digitalis Miss Schaefer's heart again began to beat, and again she sat up and gasped:

"What do you mean?"

This was on Wednesday afternoon. All night Dr. Ward worked with the young woman, keeping her heart in action by artificial respiration. Again and again she sank into a coma, from which she was with difficulty aroused. When finally restored she was so weak she could not be questioned as to her sensations.

Miss Schaefer on Thursday was removed to the Presbyterian hospital,

MRS. TAYLOR CAME BACK TO LIFE.

but her case attracted so much attention that she was removed to a private hospital, the location of which has been kept a secret.

She and her sister, Miss Elizabeth Schaefer, are teachers in the public schools. Miss Schaefer was ill of chronic gastritis. The nursing during the day was left to her old father. It was on Wednesday when she sank into a coma, from which he could not arouse her, and thought her dead.

"In all my experience," Undertaker Faber said the other night, "I have never before seen any one whose appearance more convincingly indicated death."

Another startling case of a like nature is reported from Brazil, Ind. Pronounced dead by her family physician, mourned over by her husband and others of the family, laid out in her burial robes awaiting the hour for interment, Mrs. Cyrus Taylor came back to life and is well on the way to complete recovery.

It was a dramatic and weird scene when the woman so near to the grave opened her eyes upon the room of mourning. Surrounding her were a number of neighbors, women who had known her for years, with tears in their eyes, recounting her good qualities. There was a quiver of the lip and Mrs. Taylor's eyelids twitched, then were raised, and she looked into the faces of her friends.

For a moment all were too startled to move, then one woman shouted with joy and members of the household rushed to the room. A physician was summoned and restoratives administered.

Taylor is a farmer, whose place is seven miles from Brazil. He is prosperous and well known in that part of the state. Mrs. Taylor, who is about 40 years of age, had been sick for some time and death had been expected, as she was weakened by a fever.

Mrs. Taylor is too weak yet to talk much about her unusual experience, but it is claimed that she realized her condition for some time before she could make known to her relatives that she was alive. She knew she was thought to be dead and that active preparations were being made for her burial, and she feared she would be buried while alive.

New York Stock Exchange.

Memberships in the New York stock exchange are now held to be worth $52,000, and one has been sold at these figures. In 1893 one membership sold for $13,500, and another for $17,500.

An Improvement on Hanging.

The Japanese government is considering a new method of capital punishment. The plan is to place the victim in an air-tight chamber, and then exhaust the air from the box by means of a pump.

Tumor Cured.

"By their fruits ye shall know them." The way to judge of the value of any medicine is by its cures. Apply that test to Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription and it is at once lifted high above all other put-up medicines designed for the cure of womanly diseases. Chronic forms of disease which local physicians have failed to cure, and which have yielded to no other treatment, have been perfectly and permanently cured by the use of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. It establishes monthly regularity. It dries debilitating drains. It heals inflammation and ulceration and cures female weakness.

Mrs. Shopshire, of Ballou, Shelby Co., Ohio, writes: "My mother had an ovarian tumor which we thought would result in her death, but we had read your advertisements and we commenced using your 'Favorite Prescription.' We got one dozen bottles to commence with, and before she had taken three bottles she began to improve; she is living to-day and we have given your medicine the credit. My mother was sixty-six years old when the tumor commenced to grow; she is seventy-six now and the tumor is all gone. She had gotten awfully large, and her limbs began to swell before we began to use your 'Favorite Prescription.'"

Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets cure biliousness.

NOTICE.

In the matter of the letting of the substructure for the Patterson bridge in Madison and Greenwood, the Commissioners have decided to reject all bids and have a re-letting. Bids will be received until Saturday, May 25th, 1901, at 11 o'clock a. m., and must be made according to plans and specifications on file at Commissioners' office. Bidders to bid on masonry, excavation and timber separately.

NEHEMIAH KITCHEN,
WM. KRICKBAUM,
W. H. FISHER, } COUNTY COMMISS'RS.

Attest: R. F. VANDERSLICE, Clerk. 1t

MERCANTILE APPRAISEMENT.

List of Dealers in Columbia County.

I hereby certify that the following list of dealers taken, returned and classified by me for the year 1901 is correct to the best of my knowledge. The appeal will be held at the County Treasurer's office in Bloomsburg, Pa., on Wednesday, the 12th day of June, 1901, between the hours of eight o'clock a. m. and four o'clock p. m.

Beaver Township.

Name.	Kind of License.
Bredbenner, Samuel	Retail
Dreisbach G. P	"
Michael Levi H	"
Michael Levi	"
Noetling C. B	"
Nungesser H. W	"
Shuman T J. Agt	"
Smith Miles	"

Benton Borough.

Atlantic Refining Co	Wholesale
Butt W. A	Retail
Chapen J A	"
Fulmer Miss Lena & Anna	"
Heacock Lizzie	"
John & Edson	"
Keller B. G	"
Kreamer D. W	"
Knouse & Coleman	"
Kelchner H. F	"
Little O. E	"
Mamelon Joseph	"
McHenry Ira R	"
McHenry Holland	"
McHenry Orvis	"
Miller Walter	"
Pennington & Seeley	"
Philips Mrs. Anna	"
Robbins & Davis	"
Smith & Mather Co. Limited	"
Sutton O. E	"
Smith E. T. & Son	"
Tubbs Glen A	"
Umbewust H. A	"
Wood Fred	"

Benton Township.

Edson H. A	Retail
Smith Charles M	"

Berwick Borough.

Berwick Store Co. Limited	Wholesale
Berwick Store Co. Limited	Retail
Bower J. L	"
Bower Charles W	"
Bredbenner Mrs. W. M	"
Bower Isaiah	"
Clemens Geo. E	"
Christian H. O	"
Doan T. H	"
Deltrick Lloyd	"
Distlehurst Bros	"
Fenstermaker S. E	"
George O. W	"
Harry J. N	"
Haas Charles	"
Heller S. K	"
Klinetob D. G	"
Kisner C. N	"
Laubach H. C	"
Lohman Geo. C	"
Long M. Agent	"
Maskes & Freeman	"
Markel M. A	"
Morton Joel	"
Morton Joel	Pool
Mansfield W. A. Agent	Retail
Nugent William	"
Patterson W. E	"
Ruch Mrs C. L	"
Reagan Dr. G. L. & Co	"
Rough W. F	"
Stock Charles	"
Seybert S. T	"
Shrader Wilson	"
Sponenberg B. F	"
Sponenberg B. F	Pool
Schoecke Edward	Retail
Schatn J. M	"
Snyder W. T	"
Swayze & Co	"
Shoemaker J. F	"
Stiles John C	"
Smith Bros	"
Viggiano Frank	"
Walton H. E	"
Weller William E	"
Young O. C	"

Town of Bloomsburg.

Alexander Bros. & Co	Wholesale
Alexander Bros. & Co	Retail
Anstock Mrs. Fannie	"
Atlantic Refining Co	Wholesale
Armstrong J. D	Retail
Barkley Miss E	"
Bideman Samuel	"
Bomboy Frank	"
Bloomsburg Car Mfg. Co	"
Brower W. H	"
Barton A. L	"
Crawford W. F	"
Corell W. J & Co	"
Cavalee E. F	"
Clark H. J. & Son	"
Carpenter F. R	"
Creasy & Wells	"
Cronin C. L	"
Creasy D. A	"
Dentler F. D	"
Derr Bros	"
Dieterick H. F	"
Decker William B	"
Eves J. B	"
Ent C. B	"
Eyer Frank	"
Fox Miss Margaret	"
Fox William	"
Furman C. S	"
Fowler J. R	"
German Mary	"
Gingles William	Retail
Gilmore William	Cafe
Gilmore F. M	"
Gross Lewis	Retail
Gidding B. A	"
Garrison Joseph	"
George A. J	"
Gross John	"
Giger Edward	"
Housel C. R. & Son	"
Hartman I. W. & Son	"
Hartman W. F	"
Harman & Hassert	"
Holmes W. O. & Son	"
Hess George W	"
Howard Portrait Co	"
Hess S. M	"
Hilday John F	"
Hess Jerry	"
Hartzell W A	"
Hartman R. R	"
Hunt J. B	"
Ikeler & Fleckenstine	"
Kashner Arthur R	"
Kelter Geo. W	"
Keller Jacob	Wholesale
Kleim C. A	Retail
Kelchner Mrs. C. A	"
Kocher & Co	"
Keller Jacob	"
Laubach Daniel	Pool
Lowenberg D. Est	Retail
Leader Store Co., Limited	"
Leader Bargain Store	"
Leader Meat Market	"
McKelvy Geo. A	"
McPherson Louisa	"
Mifflin & Terwilliger	"
Moyer Bros	wholesale
Moyer Bros	Retail
Martin J. Lee	"
Moore W. H	"
Moyer J. W	"
Miller P. G	"
McKinney W. C	"
Mercer J. H	"
Neyhard Harry	"
Pursel F. P	"
Pensyl J. K	"
Pullen I. L	"
Quick J. G	"
Reice C. H	"
Rhodomoyer F. P	"
Ralston Josiah	"
Runyon C. W	"
Roys J. E	"
Ringler G. P	"
Richard James	"
Richard W. Case	"
Rupert C. L	"
Rishton W. S	"
Row E. F	"
Rosenthal, Louis	"
Schuyler J R	"
Slagle W. T	"
Stecker C. R	"
Smith William	"
Sharpless C. H. & Co	"
Supplee H. G	"
Sharpless L. T. & Co. Limited	Wholesale
Sharpless L. T. & Co. Limited	Retail
Savidge E. M	"
Saltzer J	"
Solleder & Co	"
Snyder G. & Son	"
Tooley J. F. & Co	"
Townsend J. R	"
Thomas Gomer	"
Unger D. P	"
Vannatta P. K	"
Wilson H. S	"
Webb William	"
Wells J. G	"
Woolsey E. Agent	"
Wasley, Miss H. E	"
Wharey L. E	"
Watson Miss M A	"
Yost William	"

Briarcreek Township.

Ash Stewart A	Retail
Martz Mrs. H. G	"

Catawissa Borough.

Berger Lloyd	Retail
Berninger T. D. & Son	"
Baldy H. R	"
Brown Charles Agent	"
Bernhard Louis Jr	"
Clewell C. E	"
Clayton J. E	"
Cleaver K. S	"
Cleaver Mrs. E	"
Deaner P J	"
Diemer J. R	"
Erwin P. B	"
Fahringer Mrs. H. W	"
Fegeley D. E	"
Fisher E	"
Fox J. C	"
Guiterman J. C	"
Gable Frank	"
Geilinger H. M	"
Gilmore & Hollingshead	Cafe
Harman A. F	Retail
Hutchins Mrs. Flora, Exu'x	"
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Harder Thos. E	"
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Kistler D. P	"
Long Charles E. Manager	"
Rhawn S. B	"
Rhawn G B	"
Raup Simon	"
Reinbold Miss Lizzie	"
Raup, Mrs Mary	"
Rinard, S D	"
Seesholtz, I H	"
Swank & Barndt	"
Seitzinger, M	Pool
Schmick & Son	Retail
Sharpless, A H	"
Sharpless, George H	"
Shane, Henry	"
Sands, W H	"
Spangler, H F	"
Sperring, Joseph	"
Tewksbury, E D	"
Truckenmiller, S	"
Truckenmiller, A	"
Waters, John & Co	"
Walter, C E	"
Walter, John L	"
Yetter, George	"
Yeager, Lloyd	"
Yedinsky, Simon	"

Catawissa Township.

Adams, J W	Retail
Bibby, J R	"
Baer, N C	"
Bowers, W E	"
Knittle, D F	"

Centralia Borough.

Black, D Y	Retail
Ball, Albert	"
Boran, Thomas	"
Buchanan Bros	"
Bullock, William	"
Conway & Riley	"
Collins, Thomas	"
Dyke, D D	"
Dyke, B J	"
Davis, Geo W	"
Davis, W E	"
avis, L E	"
Cain, J J	"
Fetterman, A E	"
Fetterman, L	"
Fetterman, Charles	"
Fisher, Daniel & Co	"
Goldsworthy, H R Co	"
Goldsworthy, John W	"
Getchey, C H Est	"
Hines, W J	"
Jones, W H	"
Kreischer, Zach, Agent	"
Kawich, Joseph	"
Lynch, W T	"
Mohan, Thomas	"
Michaels, H C	"
Murphy, C G Est	"
Mensch, A K	"
Millard, O B	"
Marchinski, Victor	"
McDonnel, John	"
McDonnel, M J	"
McDonnel, Michael J	"
Michaels, Francis	"
Omler, Peter	"
O'Conner, Mrs Joanna	"
Purcell, J W	"
Rooney, A C	"
Rowan, D J	"
Riley, Lewis A & Co	"
Thomas, Mrs S	"
Wills, George	"
Yorworth, W J	"

Centre Township.

Brobst, C B	Retail
Bower, Hiram	"
Cryder, J C	"
Golder & Henrie	"
Low, E Elsworth	"
Sponsler, G E	"
Weiss, Stephen	"
Wertman H E	"
Whitenight, C D	"

Cleveland Township.

Billeg, W H	Retail
Camp A Curtis	"
Kreischer, Irvin	"
Small, W H	"
Yost, Haines	"
Zimmerman, Andrew	"

Conyngham Township.

Boyer, George	Retail
Goodman, Daniel	"
Honnabach, Mrs E	"
Midvalley Supply Co, Limited	"
Mase, Charles	"
Potts Colliery Co	"
Roach, Daniel	"
Richard, Rebecca	"
Sanger, Mrs Beulah	"
Trexler, Aaron	"
Wells, Geo W	"
Waltershied, William	"

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Bollich Bros	"
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Hughes, A M	"
Harrison, John	"
Hess & McHenry	"
Huff, John H	"
Jones, A W	"
Lemon & Pealer	"

Franklin Township.

Bucher, George M	Retail
Bucher, George M	"

Greenwood Township.

Appleman, G B	Retail
Brenner, L	"
Crawford, C E	"
Derr, A J	"
Eyer, H W	"
Freas, Mrs E	"
Gold, Charles	"
Heacock & Bowman	"
Ikeler, W P	"
Lemon, John	"
Potter, C H	"
Parker, E E	"
Ult & Dildine	"
Welliver, J E	"
Yankee, Rudolph	"

Hemlock Township.

Betz, I M	Retail
Harris, Charles	"

Jackson Township.

Coleman & Remley	"
Kellar, Russel	"
Sanders, William	"
Stevens, Elias	"

Locust Township.

Adams, W M	Retail
Carl, Simon R	"
Daniels, L H	"
Dyer, Samuel	"
Gable, C A	"
Hower, Isaiah	"
Knorr, Henry	"
Karig, Adam	"
Snyder, J W	"
Snyder, W B	"
Snyder W. L	"
Wagner, B G	"
Whitner, E H	"
Yoder, Aaron	"
Yeager, David E	"
Yeager, Elmer C	"
Yeager, Wellington	"
Yeager, David E, Sec'y	"

Madison Township.

Converse, J R	"
Crawford, W F	"
Ging es, Hervey J	"
Greenly, Howard	"
Kreamer, Wm E	"
Rimby, S D	"
Rishel, J G	"

Main Township.

Deaner, A F	"
Longenberger, W F	"
Ney, William	"
Rhodes, John	"
Yetter, B R	"
Zahner, W P	"

Mifflin Township.

Berninger, R J	"
Creasy, J W	"
Folk, A L	"
Hess, H W	Wholesale
Hartzell, Michael	Retail
Hartzell, Daniel H	"
Kelchner, W H	"
Miller, H D	"
Pennypacker, Benjamin	"
Snyder, A W	"
Snyder, J E	"
Schweppenheiser, E. Estate	"

Millville Borough.

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Cadman, B F	"
Ely, Charles S	"
Eves, W M & Son	"
Eves, W M & Son	"
Eves, Ellis & Bro	"
Eves, V P & Henrie	"
Grimes, R B	"
Henrie, C R	"
Heller, Mrs Susan	"
Johnson, Mather Co	"
John, J L & Son	"
Kester, Allie	"
Kester, Aaron	"
Keller, Byron S	"
Millville Creamery Co	Wholesale
Rote, James M	Retail
Stadler, Tillman	"
Wolf, H B	"

Montour Township.

Grimes, Emma	Retail
Grimes, Howard	"
Hilday A C	"
Quick, H D & Son	"
Roberts, Arthur	"
Stonge, A O	"
Yost, Mary	"

Mount Pleasant Township

Sands, J E	Retail

Orange Township.

Trump, Charles W	Retail

Orangeville Borough.

Cook, C M	Retail
Conner, J W	"
Conner, Millard	"
Conner, H J	Wholesale
Delong, Perry	Retail
Delong, J B	"
Dewitt, A M	"
Fleckenstine, Geo S	"
Heckman, Albert	"
Harman, Geo B	"
Low, H B	"
Neyhard, Amos	"
Patterson, M B	"
Smith, Geo N	"
Turner, Joseph M	"

Pine Township.

Brink, Charles W	Retail
Getty, Henry R	"
Lemon, Joseph F	"

Roaringcreek Township.

Cherrington, E A	Retail
Houck, W B	"
Leitzel, Geo F	"
Leiby, Albert	"
Shoup, S F	"

Scott Township.

Creasy K. S	Retail
Dietterick William	"
Ent W. M	"
Griffith R. J	"
Grimes Geo. E	"
Hartman J. W	"
Hess C. C	"
Melick P W	"
Miller D. E	"
Miller J. H	"
Richart Isaac	"
Robbins W. M	"
Richart N	"
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Terwilliger Jacob	"
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White A. B	"
White H. N	"
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Adelman Geo. B	"
Ammerman O. B	"
Cole B. D	"
Drum Bros	"
Forbes Mathew	"
Fritz E. H	"
Hill John P	"
Kern H. E	"
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J. K. SHARPLESS,
Mercantile Appraiser, 1901.

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that I will meet, at the office of George M. Tustin, Esq., in Bloomsburg, Columbia County, Pennsylvania, on the sixth day of June, A. D. 1901, at 12 o'clock, noon, of said day, to organize a corporation and take over the property and franchises of the Magee Carpet Works. (Signed)

5 23 6t. CHARLES H. WELLES.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

ESTATE OF JOHN SNELL, LATE OF CENTRALIA BOROUGH, DECEASED.

Notice is hereby given that letters of administration on the estate of John Snell, late of the Borough of Centralia, Columbia County, Pa., deceased, have been granted to Rev. H. M. Wingert, a resident of Ashland, Pa., to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make payment, and those having claims or demands will make known the same without delay to

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ESTATE OF HILDA HUMMER, LATE OF SUGARLOAF TOWNSHIP, DECEASED.

Notice is hereby given that letters testamentary on the estate of Hilda Hummer, late of the township of Sugarloaf, county of Columbia, Pa., deceased, have been granted to Sarah Mannon of Fishingcreek, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make payment, and those having claims or demands will make known the same without delay.

*5-9 6t. SARAH M. MANNON,
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Notice is hereby given that the undersigned viewers, appointed by the Court for the purposes aforesaid, will meet upon the line of said improvement on Saturday, June 1st, 1901, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon of said day, when and where all parties interested, with their witnesses, should appear.

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The formation of labor is said to be affecting the National Guard circles. At Williamsport alone twenty-five young men have already asked for their discharge, claiming that the trade organizations to which they belong requires them to withdraw from the guards.

We have learned quite recently of the entertainment given at Orangeville on Memorial Day last year. Should the good people of that borough desire the services of a good, active committee, they can probably get some Wilkes-Barre gentlemen to act in that capacity. Mr. Frank Ricketts can furnish their addresses. If they want to engage the Light Street band they must speak in time.

WILL BENEFIT CORPORATIONS.

The Pennsylvania Canal to be Utilized for the Sale of Water Power.

In speaking of the bill, signed by Governor Stone last week, which gives the railroad companies the privilege to sell water from the canals in their control for private, domestic, or other purposes, the Harrisburg correspondent to the Philadelphia *North American* says:

"The act is general in its character, and applies to every canal in the State, but it particularly affects the Pennsylvania Canal, owned by the Pennsylvania Canal Company. The canal has recently been abandoned from Loyalsock to Columbia, a stretch of 144 miles, and in order that the Company may utilize its water rights it was necessary to secure the passage of this bill.

The Company expects to supply water power to manufacturing estal lishments and other industries at Harrisburg, Nanticoke, Sunbury and other points along the line, in the vicinity of its dams in the Susquehanna river. Many industries at Bloomsburg, Catawissa and other points, from Northumberland to Wilkes-Barre, will now get their water power from the Company.

The bed of the canal at certain places will be eventually filled up and covered with railroad tracks, and along certain other sections the towpaths will be utilized for this purpose. Under the Stineman bill the Company is not required to maintain the bridges across the canal.

The Railroad Company expects to fill up the old basin at the terminus of the canal at Columbia and lay tracks to increase its yard facilities. The canal parallels the railroad from Harrisburg to Columbia, and the ground it occupies can be utilized by the railroad at a very small cost. From Clark's Ferry to Sunbury the canal is on the opposite side of the river from the railroad, while from Sunbury to Muncy, and from Sunbury to Nanticoke it runs along the tracks.

By signing the Stineman canal grab bill Governor Stone has encouraged the promoters of the Erie land grab scheme to redouble their efforts to force it through the House. They are confident the Governor will approve the bill, if given a chance, in the face of the precedent set for him by Governor Hastings in vetoing a similar measure in 1897."

The bill has passed the Senate and its position on the House calendar will probably bring it up this week.

Supreme Court Opinion

In the case of T. J. Vanderslice versus W. Krickbaum.

Judgment Entered for Respondent on the Demurrer.

In the Supreme Court of Pennsylvania. Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, ex. rel. John G. Harman, District Attorney, vs. William Krickbaum.

No. 116, January Term, 1901. Appeal by defendant from the Court of Common Pleas of Columbia County. Filed May 13, 1901.

MESTREZAT, J.

Jeremiah Snyder was elected Treasurer of Columbia County on November 6, 1899, for the term of three years, commencing on the first Monday of the following January. On December 11, 1899, he executed and delivered to the Commonwealth a bond in the sum of $15,000 for the faithful discharge of his duties. On January 4, 1900, he gave to the Commissioners of Columbia County a bond in the sum of $60,000 conditioned for the faithful performance of his official duties. William Krick baum, the respondent and appellant, is one of the sureties on each of said bonds. In November, 1896, Krickbaum was elected to the office of County Commissioner of Columbia County and entered upon the duties of his office the first Monday of January, 1897, for the term of three years. In November, 1899, he was re-elected to said office and entered upon its duties the first Monday of the following January. At the time of becoming surety on said bonds he was, therefore, a County Commissioner of Columbia County.

At the instance of T. J. Vanderslice, Esq., the District Attorney of Columbia County presented a suggestion to the Court of Common Pleas of that county, setting forth the above and other reasons for a quo warranto against the respondent, and the writ was duly awarded against him to show by what authority he claimed to exercise the office of County Commissioner of said county. The respondent filed an answer to the suggestion, admitting the facts above recited, but denying the other allegations of the suggestion. The relator demurred to the answer, so far as it admitted the facts, and moved the court for judgment of ouster against the respondent. The demurrer was sustained and on March 11, 1901, judgment was entered against Krickbaum, ousting him from the office of County Commissioner of Columbia County. On the same day the court below issued an injunction against the respondent, restraining him from exercising the office of County Commissioner and from retaining in his possession the books and papers of said office. The action of the Court in entering the judgment of ouster and in issuing the injunction is assigned for error.

The pleadings raise but a single question for consideration, and that is whether a County Commissioner can legally become a surety on the official bond of a County Treasurer. This involves a construction of the 66th section of the penal code of March 31, 1860, the part thereof material to this issue being as follows: "It shall not be lawful for any councilman, burgess, trustee, manager or director of any corporation, municipality or public institution, to be, at the same time, a treasurer, secretary or other officer, subordinate to the president and director, who shall receive a salary therefrom, or be the surety of such officer; and any person violating these provisions, or either of them, shall forfeit his membership in such corporation, municipality or institution, and his office or appointment thereunder, and shall be held guilty of misdemeanor, and on conviction thereof, be sentenced to pay a fine not exceeding $500.

It was contended by the appellee, and so held by the court below, that the statute applied to the case in hand and that the act of the respondent in becoming surety for Jeremiah Snyder, the county treasurer, offended against its provisions. The learned judge, specially presiding, held that a county commissioner comes within the designation of "councilman, burgess, trustee, manager or director," in contemplation of the act, and that a county is a corporation within the terms of the statute.

We do not agree with the trial Judge that a county commissioner is included in the officials designated in this section of the Act of 1860. If we correctly apprehend the position of the learned Judge it is that a county commissioner is a "trustee," for the county which he holds is a corporation in contemplation of the statute. It is quite clear that a county commissioner is not a councilman, burgess or director of a corporation within the intendment of the statute Hence, if subject at all to the provisions of the Act, it must be as trustee or manager of the county as a corporation. In our judgment there can be no substantial basis on which such a construction can rest. It is true that county commissioners are the agents, trustees and managers of the county and its financial affairs. They are in fiduciary capacity, and the money of the county is expended on orders drawn by them on the county treasurer. They have the custody and control of the property of the county, and conduct all its litigation. They exercise all the corporate powers of the county. These are some of the powers and duties that pertain to the office of county commissioner. But the Act does not subject parties to its provisions because they possess these powers or exercise these and other prescribed duties, but because they are included among the officials therein designated. It is, therefore, as one of the class of officers named in the statute that any person is forbidden to become surety for another and it is made subject to penalties for violating its provisions.

The office of County Commissioner is, as has been said, coeval with the settlement of the country and is recognized in and exists under the present constitution of the Commonwealth. Any person familiar with the offices and affairs of the counties of the state knows of the office and general duties of a County Commissioner.

It is as distinctive, definite and well understood as the office of councilman or burgess. It, therefore, cannot be presumed that the legislature when it passed the Act in question did not know of this office which is as old as the state itself. On the contrary, it must be assumed that the legislature knew of the office and its duties and intentionally excluded it from the provisions of the Act. As easily could the legislature have prohibited from becoming surety on an official bond and named as subject to the penalties imposed by the statute a County Commissioner by his official title as a councilman or a burgess. Unless it was the intention of the lawmaking power, no reason can be assigned why a County Commissioner was not included in the Act. Naming the officials set out in the statute shows conclusively the legislative intent to exclude all other officials. Expressio unius est exclusio alterius.

We are dealing with a highly penal statute and, as said by this Court of the section in question, we cannot for this reason extend it by implication beyond its special meaning. The construction we have given the Act conforms to this well established rule of interpretation. It is not for the Courts to extend the Act to County Commissioners or to other officials for reasons that moved the legislature to make the Statute applicable to the officials therein designated. Those reasons, doubtless, were as convincing why a County Commissioner should have been included in the provisions of the statute as why a councilman or burgess should have been made subject to the Act, but it is not the reasons that impelled the legislature to pass the Act, nor the meaning or spirit of the statute that controls its interpretation and determines whether the respondent is within its terms. The fact that the language of the Act does not clearly include the office held by the respondent excludes him from its operation.

In support of his position, the learned trial Judge cites and relies upon Commonwealth vs. Morrisy, 86 Pa. 417. He evidently confounds the language of the two sections of the Act. It was there held that the treasurer of a school district was a township or municipal office within the terms of the 65th section of the Act of March 31, 1860, which prohibits under certain penalties "any state, county, township or municipal officer," charged with the collection and disbursement of public money, from converting it to his own use. If the 66th section had made it unlawful for any city, borough or county officer instead of councilman, burgess, trustee or manager to do the acts therein named, the case cited would have been applicable and controlled the construction of the 66th section.

But instead of using the broad language of the 65th section and making it applicable to any "State, county, township or municipal" officer, the language of the section confines it to certain designated officers of a city, borough, corporation, municipality or public institution.

The view we entertain of the case makes it unnecessary to determine whether a county is a corporation within the meaning of the Act. This question becomes immaterial if a County Commissioner is not subject to its provisions.

The assignments of error are sustained, the judgment is reversed, the injunction is dissolved and judgment is entered for the respondent on the demurrer.

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